

Carnation
"From Contented Cows"
THERE'S CREAM IN EVERY DROP
Sole Agents:
CONNELL BROS. CO., LTD.
HONG KONG & S. CHINA

The dollar, on demand, closed to-day, at 1/7 1-4.

China Mail

THE OLDEST - ESTABLISHED NEWSPAPER IN THE FAR EAST

No. 28,876 HONG KONG, WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 1934. PRICE \$3.00 Per Month

LADIES' AUTUMN FOOTWEAR

NOW ON SALE NOW ON

KOWLOON SHOP ONLY:

PAUL RENNET et CIE

Corner of Austin - Nathan Roads, Kowloon

CHINA PROVISIONS MUST BE GUARDED IN NAVAL NEGOTIATIONS

NANKING TROOPS RUSHED TOWARDS CHENCHOW CITY STRATEGIC POINT ON RAILWAY CANTONESE CLAIM VICTORIES

(From Our Own Correspondent)
Canton, To-day.

The vanguard of the Nanking troops reached Chenchow, in southern Hunan, last night. Four divisions are rushing down overland from Chuchow, the northern terminus of the Canton-Hankow Railway, according to reports reaching here.

Big battles are expected in the next few days between the Nanking troops and Communists, who are hiding in Kweichow and Jucheng in southern Hunan. It appears that the Central Authorities count on their own troops rather than the provincial forces in suppressing the Reds in southern Hunan before they can escape westward.

If necessary, more Nanking troops will be sent to Hunan. On the last occasion, the Hunan provincial soldiers were not in a position to intercept the passing of the Communists under Hsiao Keh and Li Chung-pao.

The Kwangtung-Hunan sector is quiet, although the Reds are in still occupation of Chengchow, in northern Kwangtung. Cantonese troops are arriving in large numbers at Jenhu with the object of pushing the Reds clear from Chengchow.

Official reports continue to claim Cantonese victories over the Reds, but the time and place are stated very vaguely.

EFFECTIVE CONTROL OF ARMS SALE British Contracts Must Be Approved

London, To-day.

Answering a Parliamentary question regarding the measures taken to prevent the sale of armaments indiscriminately to foreign countries in the interests of money-making, the Prime Minister, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, said that the machinery of export licensing ensured an effective control over the supply to foreign countries of arms from the United Kingdom.

No sale could be made by an armaments firm except to the approved destinations and on the grant of export licences by the Board of Trade, he added.

British Wireless Service.

BRITAIN STEPS INTO BREACH SIR JOHN SIMON'S FORMULA

London, To-day.

A formula for continuing the naval talks was suggested by the Foreign Secretary, Sir John Simon, at an interview with the special United States envoy, Mr. Norman Davis, yesterday afternoon.

Sir John Simon emphasised that the British Government desired to see an understanding which would enable the 1935 conference to be called with some hope of success.

Mr. Davis informed Sir John Simon that the American delegation was prepared to continue the talks on the new basis which Sir John Simon has in mind.

After this assurance of American support, the naval talks will re-open with the full delegation in conferences this week.



Miss Cecil M. Barr declares that the piercing eyes of Bruno Hauptmann are unforgettable and helped her to identify him as the man who spent a \$5 Lindbergh ransom bill at the movie theatre where she sells tickets, last November. Hauptmann told the police he was given ransom money by Isadore Fisch last April.

FRENCH CRISIS LOOMS ANEW WITH THREAT TO BUDGET

MIRACLE NEEDED TO SAVE CABINET

DOUMERGUE FIRM

Paris, To-day.

Despite the postponement of the French Cabinet crisis through the Radicals' suggestion for a compromise with a view to continuing the party truce, well-informed quarters forecast that the Premier, Mr. Gaston Doumergue, will not agree to voting on the Budget rather than demand credits.

Nothing but a miracle can avert a crisis to-morrow, observers assert.

PRINCE AT BRISTOL Warm Welcome Given By Unemployed

London, To-day.

Unemployed men in Bristol gave a warm welcome to H.R.H. the Prince of Wales yesterday when he visited the city's welfare centres, many of which have been organised as the result of the Prince's own appeal on behalf of the unemployed.

British Wireless Service.

Spanish President Orders Own Son To Be Punished

Madrid, Nov. 2.

There was a dramatic scene at the Cabinet meeting last night when President Alcalá Zamora, amid a breathless suspense, motioned that his own son, who is now serving as corporal at the Jaca garrison, should be court-martialled for alleged insubordination. The President emphasised that his son deserved just as little mercy as any other accused, and ordered his immediate arrest.

The Cabinet Ministers were deeply moved by the President's act and the Premier, Don Alejandro Lerroux, only reluctantly promised that he would act in accordance with these directions.

Senior Lerroux, who was visibly moved, spoke, in fitting terms, of the President's patriotism and his cordial attitude towards every citizen.

It appears that the only offence of the 21-year-old son of President Zamora was that he favoured Socialist tendencies and that he had sympathised with the insurrectionists. Young Zamora, now in the barracks of Jaca Garrison, is considered by his superior officers as an exemplary soldier.

Jaca, it will be recalled, was the place where the revolutionary movement deposing King Alfonso was started.

SWEEPING VICTORY FOR ROOSEVELT REPUBLICANS CONCEDE PRESIDENT'S TRIUMPH 7 DEAD IN ELECTION BATTLES

New York, To-day.

President Roosevelt has won a clear "right of way" for the "New Deal" for two years or more as the result of the elections. This is conceded even by the Republicans who are watching the early returns roll in from the eastern and middle-west States along pro-Democrat lines, as predicted earlier.

The nation went to poll amid a welter of charges and counter-charges, by both sides, of intimidation, violence, illegal registrations, and other breaches of electoral law. Accusations of high-handedness were hurled against the police, deputy United States marshalls, and sheriffs.

Many arrests were made, notably in Pennsylvania, the main battlefield for the "New Deal," where feeling is most bitter after an affray at Kelayres, near Hazleton, where a Democratic procession was ambushed. Four people died of wounds from machine-gun fire.

A sexagenarian at West Union, Ohio, was shot in an election quarrel, making a total of seven deaths throughout the country during the elections.

REPUBLICAN STATES GO DEMOCRATIC Negroes Battle For Chicago Seat

Washington, To-day.

A "New Deal" Congress seems to be an accomplished fact. The returns indicate a record poll for a year in which there is no Presidential election.

Mr. Herbert H. Lehman, Governor of New York State, is, apparently, romping home. West Virginia, Maryland and New York State soon reported leads for Democratic Senatorial candidates, while all the Democrats were elected as usual from Georgia, Mississippi and the southern states.

In the electoral contest at Chicago, between two negroes, the Republican representative is losing ground against the Democrats.

The Democrats will undoubtedly increase the strength to two-thirds as the latest returns from the hitherto predominantly Republican States of Maryland, West Virginia, Connecticut and Ohio show the Republican vote in arrears.

EUROPEAN'S CAR KNOCKS DOWN CHINESE CHILD

An 11-year-old child, Lam Cheuk-yuen, of No. 19, Star Road, was last night knocked down by private car No. 3066, which was being driven in Hennessy Road by Mr. Patgeet. The child was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital, at 10 p.m.

114 Democrats And 12 Rivals

New York, To-day.

One hundred and fourteen Democrats and 12 Republicans have so far been elected to the House of Representatives.

Reuter.

PIRATED VESSEL LEAVES AMOY Departs For Unknown Destination

The *San Kiao*, which was pirated 60 miles north of Hong Kong, at Hong Hai Bay on Saturday night, was reported to have arrived at Amoy yesterday at noon, and to have left for an unknown destination, which was probably Shanghai.

The destroyer *Wishart*, which is patrolling the Hong Hai Bay, giving moral support to the Cantonese authorities who are now handling the situation, will remain on duty until recalled.

WEATHER FORECAST

Fair at first, with freshening north-east winds, and possibly some drizzle or rain later, was the forecast for to-day, as issued by the Royal Observatory this morning.



Shown together for the first time in the Chicago federal court, Samuel Insull, Sr., left, and his son, Samuel, Jr., watch the selection of the jury which will determine whether the aged former utilities magnate is guilty of using the mails to defraud, as charged by the Federal Government.

CHINESE AIR MISSION IN LONDON Official Visit To Ministry

London, To-day.

The Chinese mission, headed by Colonel Mow, which is studying aviation in Great Britain, visited the Air Ministry yesterday afternoon accompanied by the Chinese Minister to London, Mr. Quo Tsi-chi, and were received by Lord Londonderry, Air Minister.

LABOUR GAINS IN SCOTLAND Council Majorities At Glasgow & Motherwell

London, To-day.

Labour has secured a sweeping victory in most districts in Scotland in the municipal elections. The state of the parties now is: Labour and Independent Labour Party, 65. Moderates, 46. Protestant League, 5.

In Glasgow, Labour, with six gains, now has a clear town council majority of 14, while Labour has four gains at Motherwell, giving the latter town its first Labour council.

BRITISH REVENUE DECLINES Expenditure £8,000,000 Greater

London, To-day.

The Exchequer returns for the past week show that during the current financial year the total ordinary revenue, exclusive of self-balancing revenue, amounted, at November 3, to £339,046,489, which is £3,977,060 less than the amount collected at the corresponding date of last year.

Expenditure for the same period, exclusive of self-balancing items, was £414,858,558, which exceeds the amount expended at the corresponding date of last year by £2,087,297.

FRENCH NAVAL LOSS

Paris, to-day.

The death occurred to-day of Vice-Admiral Fourrier, who played a distinctive part in the annexation of Cochinchina.

RECORD FLIGHT IN SLOW TIME Cathcart Jones' View Of Recent Air Trip

London, To-day.

When Captain Cathcart Jones and Mr. Kenneth Waller, who flew to Australia and back to England in 13 days, were entertained at the City Club yesterday, Cathcart expressed the view that 13 days was slow time.

"We should be able to do it in four days there and four days back without the slightest strain on the machine or personnel," he said.

He added that their flight would have been much easier with wireless equipment.

AIR RACE FILM TO BE SHOWN HERE Paramount Special At Queen's

By special arrangement with their Australian Head Office the local branch of the Paramount Films of China, Inc., are receiving, on November 15, by the s.s. "Tatsuta Maru," a special Paramount News Reel covering the end of the great Air Race at Melbourne in which C. D. A. Scott and T. Campbell Black, the British pilots, won both the speed and handicap events.

This special service of sending the News Reel direct to Hong Kong has been arranged at extra expense to Paramount, and it will be shown immediately at the Queen's Theatre on November 18, together with "Death Takes A Holiday."

KING RECEIVES NEW MINISTERS Buckingham Palace Function

London, To-day.

His Majesty the King at Buckingham Palace yesterday received the new Polish Ambassador, Count Raczyński, who presented his letters of credence. The new Ministers in London for Persia, Nicaragua and Haiti were also received by His Majesty.

For the first time since his appointment as General Sir Sidney Clive, the new Marshal of the Diplomatic Corps, was in attendance.

WARNING BY "TIMES"

DELICATE PROBLEM TO TINKER WITH RESPONSIBILITY TREMENDOUS

No Common Front Against Japan

LONDON, TO-DAY.

THE FACT THAT THERE IS LITTLE HOPE OF THE WASHINGTON NAVAL TREATY ESCAPING JAPANESE DENUNCIATION BEFORE DECEMBER 31, STATES THE TIMES, MAKES THE PRESENT CONVERSATIONS ALL THE MORE DESIRABLE IN VIEW OF DRAFTING A NEW STATUTE OF LIMITATION TO REPLACE IT NEXT YEAR.

The dominating British consideration, the journal continues, is that even if the negotiations end, in a breakdown Great Britain would not be at all disturbed by the resultant large increase in the American building programme, for an Anglo-American war is unthinkable.

This does not mean that the British Empire and America desire a common front against Japan. What matters is that the three major Powers should eliminate all competition in size of ships and guns.

Whatever new arrangements are negotiated, The Times finds it impossible to see how they can diverge from the principles of the security and integrity of China on which the Washington Treaty provisions dealing with Pacific fortifications and the policy in China are based.

To tinker with the delicate China provisions before something is ready to take their place is to assume tremendous responsibility. The Times asserts.

CANTON FEARS REDUCTION OF HER POLITICAL POWER CHIANG'S POSITION CONSOLIDATED

UNIFICATION IN SIGHT

(From Our Own Correspondent)
Canton, To-day.

The South-west Political Council and the Kuomintang South-west Executive Committee here have given advance notice to the Central Authorities that any attempt to create Chinese Customs in Hong Kong or Kowloon will be opposed as indicated by their separate telegrams dispatched yesterday.

So far Nanking has not made any announcement concerning the establishment of Customs in Hong Kong. It is generally understood, however, that they are anxious to stop smuggling in South China.

(Continued on Page 12)

ANGLO-ROUMANIAN TRADE

London, To-day.

The President of the Board of Trade, Mr. Walter Runciman, said yesterday that representations had been made to the Rumanian Government regarding the delay in providing foreign exchange to meet the commercial debts due to British exporters, and that restrictions had been placed on the trade with Rumania.

These matters were now receiving the earnest consideration of the British Government, he said.

MAIL SCHEDULES

The Postmaster General announces that as from 1st November the Parcel Post rates to the United Kingdom will be reduced to:

3 lb.	7 lb.	11 lb.	22 lb.
\$1.40	2.50	3.50	4.00

The reduction is hoped will have a stimulating effect on the Christmas parcel post which closes on 9th November.

Christmas Parcel Mail for Great Britain

The Christmas Parcel Mail for Great Britain will be closed in the General Post Office at Noon on the 9th November per s.s. "Bhutan". The Public are kindly requested to post early. This mail is due to arrive at London on the 16th December.

The Kowloon Post Office will open for business in its new premises in Salisbury Road, opposite the Fire Station, at 8 a.m. on Thursday, the 1st November.

INWARD MAILS.

FROM EUROPE

Haidis (Air Mail ex Marseilles) Nov. 9
Saigon Service) " 10
Patroclus " 10
Rannura (via Suez) " 15

FROM JAPAN

Melbourne Maru Nov. 7
Taishima Maru " 7
Taiyo Maru " 8
Tama Maru " 8
Emp. of Japan " 9
General Sherman " 9
Haruma Maru " 9
Pres. van Buren " 11
Ginjo Maru " 11
Pres. Lincoln " 12
Naka Maru " 13
Penang Maru " 14
Teyoka Maru " 15

FROM AMERICA & CANADA

Emp. of Japan Nov. 9
Pres. van Buren " 11
Pres. Lincoln " 12

FROM MANILA

Pres. Jackson Nov. 9
Taiping " 10
Atsuta Maru " 15

FROM SHANGHAI

Shantung Nov. 7
Agamemnon " 7
Taiyo Maru " 8
Bhutan " 9
Emp. of Japan " 9
General Sherman " 9
Haruma Maru " 9
Pres. van Buren " 11
Taiping " 11
Lincoln " 12
Conte Rosso " 15

FROM STRAITS & INDIA

Takada Nov. 13
Durban Maru " 16

FROM AUSTRALIA

Taiping Nov. 9

OUTWARD MAILS.

FOR EUROPE

Agamemnon (via Marseilles) Nov. 7
Close Reg. 12.45 p.m. Ord. 1.30 p.m.
Bhutan (via Marseilles) " 9
Pres. Jackson " 9
Close Reg. 3 p.m. Ord. 4.15 p.m.

FOR JAPAN

Pres. Jackson Nov. 9

FOR AMERICA

Pres. Jackson " 9

FOR MANILA

Emp. of Japan Nov. 9
Pres. van Buren " 11

FOR SHANGHAI

Pres. Jackson " 9

FOR STRAITS & INDIA

Agamemnon Nov. 7
Kufang " 8
Bhutan " 9
Haruma Maru " 9

FOR AUSTRALIA

Melbourne Maru Nov. 7
Taiping " 9

The Woman's Page

Crochet Cap And Scarf

A TRIBUTE TO THE ENGLISH WOMEN

Gift Book Compiled For Melbourne Centenary

Melbourne.

One of the activities of the Melbourne Women's Centenary Council has been the compiling of a Women's Centenary Gift Book, to be published in a fortnight's time. Victorian women who have made a name for themselves in art and letters have supplied the material for the book, which contains about twenty original literary contributions—prose, stories, articles, and verse—by such well-known women as Henry Handel Richardson, Mary Grant Bruce, Kathleen S. Pritchard, Myra Morris, Mrs. Aeneas Gunn, Alice Henry, Elsie Cole, Ursula Clinton, and Annie Rentoul.

The frontispiece is a reproduction of one of the late Mrs. Ellis Rowan's paintings. Miss Frances Fraser and Mrs. Nettie Palmer are the joint editors of the production.

The sixty illustrations include work by Hilda Rix Nicholas, Ida Rentoul Outhwaite, A. M. E. Bale, Dora Wilson, and Esther and Betty Paterson. There will be an edition de luxe, limited to two hundred copies, which Lady Huntingfield, wife of the Governor of Victoria, will sign.

Designed as a tribute to the women who carried on the spirit of pioneering through the century in all sections of the community, such as the University, the stage, citizenship, education, clubs, welfare work, music, art, and industry, the book will benefit the fund for a memorial to the pioneer women of Victoria.

THE RETURN OF ALPACA

The return of alpaca for smarter wear is emphasised in a black redingote, cleverly cut and belted, worn over a dress of natural surah showing a satin checked design. Another black ensemble which created interest is in black satin with short military cape worn bib-wise in the front and disclosing at the back a white satin peplum wired to stand out at the hips. This is worn with a gigantic black patent leather hat encircled with plaited string.

VIA SIBERIA—Letters and postcards for Europe and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so superscribed.

REGISTERED and PARCEL MAILS are closed 15 minutes earlier than the time given above unless otherwise stated, and where mails are advertised to close at or before 9 a.m. registered and parcel mails are closed at 5 p.m. on the previous day.

AIR MAIL—Imperial Airways via Singapore, Bandung-Amsterdam via Singapore-Singapore-Marseilles via Saigon. Correspondence for Europe and intermediate countries will be accepted for transmission by these services. Rates and all particulars are shown in the schedules exhibited at the General Post Office and Kowloon Office. All letters etc. must be marked "By Air Mail" and handed in at the General Post Office. Unless superscribed for despatch by a special air mail service, correspondence will be forwarded by the first service available.

HINTS ON HOW TO MAKE THEM

GREEN AND RED SCHEME

The cap and scarf are rather sweet, and they are made in two colours so you can choose your favourites. The original set is bright green and bright red, and you can imagine how cheery it looks with a navy frock. Orange and brown, cornflower-blue and grey, emerald and putty-colour are three other attractive schemes.

Suppose you copy our green and red scheme, you will need three ounces of red four-ply wool and one ounce of green. A number ten bone crochet hook is used throughout. Start with the cap, which is made in four separate sections, joined together afterwards. With the red wool, make two chain, then work two treble-crochet into the stitches, which will give you the first row. Turn with two chain, and work two trebles into each of the first two, so that you now have four trebles. Third row, two trebles into the first stitch, one treble into each of next two, and two trebles into the last. Turn all rows with two chain. Fourth row, three trebles into first stitch, one into next four stitches three into last. Fifth to tenth rows, work like the third row—two trebles into the first and stitches of the rows, one in the others. Work the eleventh row like the fourth, and finish off. You've now completed one section, and you must make three more in exactly the same way.

Join the sections, using the green wool. Take two, hold them in your left hand, insert the hook in the lower edge of one section, and up through the lower edge of the other, as shown in the diagram. Pull the green wool through as you go, and fasten with a slip stitch. Now, keeping the two pieces about half an inch apart, make three chain with the green wool, and work one double-crochet into the end of the second row of the lower section.

Double Crochet

Work another double-crochet into the same stitch, then do three more chain and work a double-crochet into the third row of the upper section. Work a double-crochet into the same stitch, then three more chain and a double-crochet back into the fourth row of the lower section. Continue thus, working the chains backwards and forwards till you reach the top of the cap, where you fasten off. Join on the next section in the same way. It sounds complicated doesn't it? But it's quite simple, and the green-crochet makes a pretty zig-zag band between the sections of the cap.

For the scarf, make a chain of forty with the red wool, and work eight rows of treble stitches. Fasten off, and make a second section in the same way. Now make forty chain once more, and work in treble till you come to the end of the red wool, when you fasten off. Now join one short section to one end of the scarf with green wool, exactly as you joined the cap sections, then join the other short section on to the other end. This will give your scarf a pretty border.



Improving Your Looks

If you find that you are becoming too tanned and wish to correct this tendency try the following methods.

Take the juice of half a dozen tomatoes and mix it well with its own volume of rose water. It is both an astringent and a bleach which is kind to the most sensitive skin.

If you need a cream which is soothing and which will remove discoloration and sallowness, but which is nutritive to the tissues, make yourself one like this.

Take two fair sized cucumbers, cut them up and put them in a vessel with half a pint of olive oil. Let them simmer gently until they get mushy, keeping them closely lidded.

Strain the resulting liquor through butter muslin and you have one of the best of beautifiers.

If you find it difficult to get a really "good" skin food (there are so many that it is difficult sometimes to choose) buy sixpennyworth of oil of sweet almonds and mix with it a generous teaspoonful of strained lemon juice. Shake them well together, use for skin massage purposes, it is a very efficient one.

Make for yourself a delicately fragrant face lotion which will soften and whiten your skin, and renew its vitality. Take as many sprigs of rosemary as you can pick easily, and put them in a large saucepan. Bring them to the boil (let the boiling for a few minutes be hard) then allow them to simmer gently for half an hour. Strain the liquor off, first through a strainer and then through butter muslin. The liquid is now ready for use.

This is a new cream obtainable which is used for the foundation of an artificial sun tan. Used with a sunburn or rose ochre powder over it you have all the beauty of tan without any of its ill effects and discomforts. An artificial tan is, for most people, more advisable.

Skin Troubles

Men and women who suffer from skin affections, particularly those appearing on the face, are very sensitive about the condition. Usually these people suffer from dandruff as well, which must be treated in order to obtain any improvement in the skin. The scalp should be washed regularly with spirit soap and a suitable lotion rubbed in.

Highly seasoned food or alcohol or very hot drinks, particularly tea and coffee, should be avoided. Face massage is of distinct value whilst the application of a lotion such as calamine to which sulphur has been added, is soothing to the skin.

Defective teeth, dyspepsia and constipation may all be responsible for this condition.

SHORT COATS TO COVER FORMAL FROCKS

Short coats to cover formal frocks are very popular. One is an attractive finish to a white frock; it is loosely cut, of hip length, and is made of black linen heavily embroidered in off-white. With a cocktail frock of black a mannequin wears a short jacket of embroidered satin.

HAT TRIMMINGS

Wing and quill trimmings are arriving in the hat salons to adorn the black velvet hats which in both large and small shapes are appealing to so many women.

In This Orphanage in China

The Missionaries Are Finding BABY'S OWN TABLETS

Of Great Help To The Children.

At the Home of the Nazarene Children's Orphanage, Chinkiang, Baby's Own Tablets are relied upon for the correction and prevention of ill-health among the large number of children cared for in that institution by the Rev. J. W. Boyer and his wife.

In her letter of appreciation Mrs. Boyer states:—"We are very grateful for Baby's Own Tablets which we are using with excellent results among the children of this Orphanage. Not only are we finding these tablets of great value for the prevention and correction of the children's stomach and bowel troubles and to keep them clear of worms, but they have the additional advantage of being easy to administer because they are pleasant in taste and appearance."

Baby's Own Tablets are also especially valuable during teething. They ease the pains immediately and give the baby the power to sleep. Pure, harmless and efficacious, Baby's Own Tablets are guaranteed to contain no narcotic elements. All chemists can supply them.

Keep Healthy

NO Sore Throat
NO Influenza
NO Infection

when you take

FORMAMINT

The germ-killing Throat Tablet

Sold at all Chemists and Druggists

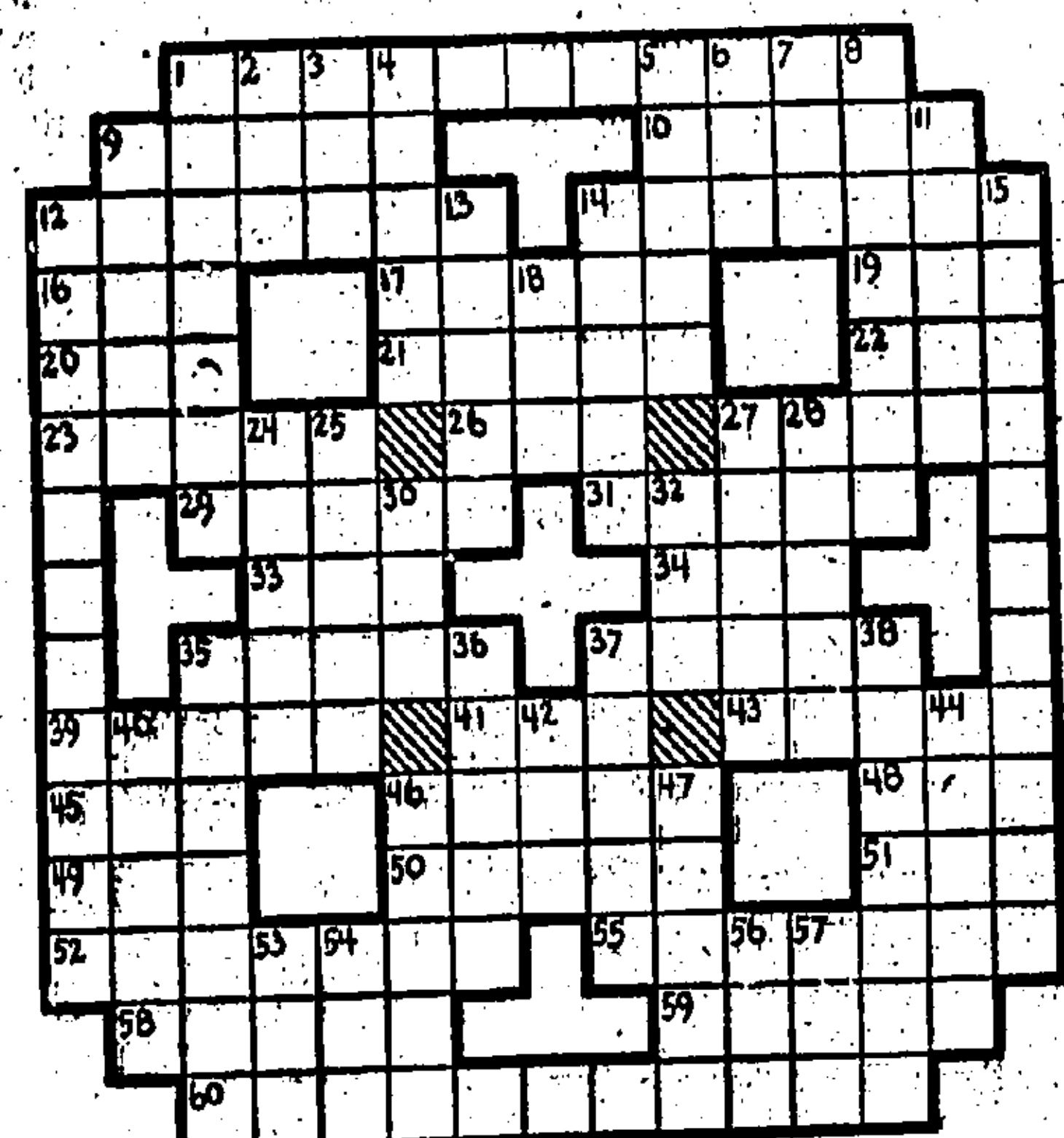
THE HONG KONG PENINSULA HOTEL;
HONG KONG HOTEL; REPULSE BAY HOTEL;
PEAK HOTEL;
&
SHANGHAI
ASTOR HOUSE; PALACE HOTEL;
HOTELS, LIMITED.

In association with the Grand Hotel des Wagons Lits, Peking

MAN LOONG
PRESERVED GINGER MANUFACTURERS.
NEW SEASON PRESERVED GINGER.
Best Quality — Prompt attention to Exporters.
Office:—14, Possession Street, Tel. No. 2825.
Factory:—K.I.L. 1928 Bedford St., Tai Kok Tsui, Kowloon.
Tel. No. 57058.

DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spelling, such as harbor, plow, and altho.



- | | | |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|
| HORIZONTAL | HORIZONTAL (Cont.) | VERTICAL (Cont.) |
| 1-Weakness | 10-Small particles | 13-Starts suddenly |
| 2-Small greenish fish | 11-Scotch river | 14-Part of a flower |
| 3-Make name | 12-Evening | 15-Make stronger |
| 4-Beached | 13-Even | 16-Black substance |
| 5-Examples | 14-Boy's name (short) | 17-Large herbivorous mammal |
| 6-Knock | 15-Sewing implement | 18-Box |
| 7-Grades | 16-Thieves | 19-Venerated person |
| 8-Of age (Lat. abbr.) | 17-Less harmful | 20-Natural fat |
| 9-Evening (Poet.) | 18-Common laborer | 21-Finish |
| 10-Snare | 19- (Mex.) | 22-Highest note in Guido's scale |
| 11-Irregular (abbr.) | 20-Adjustments | 23-Thops who belong to a league |
| 12-Torment | | 24-More crippled |
| 13-Between (Italian) | VERTICAL | 25-Make sorrowful |
| 14-Meaning | 1-Most profound | 26-Finished |
| 15-Narrow twilled material (pl.) | 2-Epoch | 27-A month (abbr.) |
| 16-Rent | 3-To invite | 28-Alive |
| 17-Kitchen utensil | 4-Inactive | 29-Blind |
| 18-Perched | 5-Accumulate | 30-Permit |
| 19-Feathered animal | 6-Boy's name (short) | 31-Boy's name (short) |
| 20-Thoroughfare (pl.) | 7-Expecially (abbr.) | 32-Boy's name (short) |
| 21-Curious scraps of literature | 8-A light dress fabric | 33-Expire |
| 22-Rubbish | 9-Surf | 34-Boy's name (short) |
| 23-Tavern | 10-Those who forgetful | 35-Botany (abbr.) |
| | 11-Readiness | |

The solution of the above with a new cross-word puzzle will appear in tomorrow's issue.

For brass, copper and all metals use—

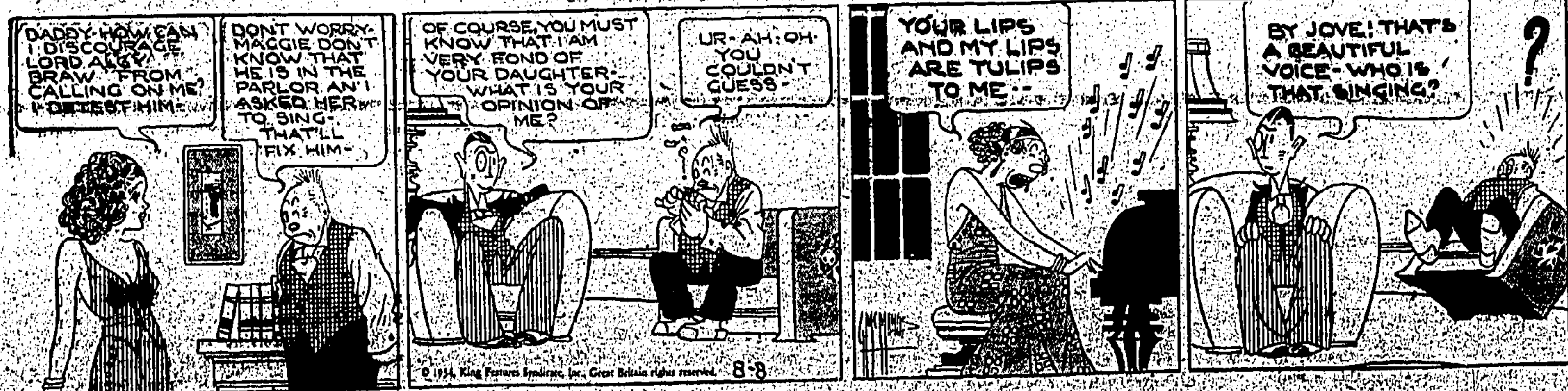
BRASSO

—the polish that gives a lasting shine

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION

MIDDLE EMETS
ADD EMILE VAT
PA AMEND WERE
P AMONG BAR A
ENGENDERED EL
DARES NOO PAS
MER HOT EAT
BEE ART INLET
AS PRETENDERS
N CAT INGOT E
TILT RENEW AT
BRA RISES MIS
REWARD TATTIRE

Bringing Up Father



THE OVERLAND CHINA MAIL

PUBLISHED EVERY WEDNESDAY

contains all the general and sporting news of the week.

Order Your Copy Now.

China Mail Office, 1A, Wyndham Street.

The China Mail

Annual subscription, excluding postage abroad, H.K.\$35, payable in advance.

Overland China Mail

Published every Thursday. Annual subscription, H.K.\$13, including postage \$19, payable in advance.

Published by The Newspaper Enterprise Ltd. Printers and Publishers, No. 38, Wyndham Street, Hong Kong. TELEPHONE 20022

London Offices:—S. H. Brywaters & Co., Ltd., 7, Garsick Street, London, W.C.2.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

Twenty-five words three insertions prepaid \$1.50. Every additional word five cents for three insertions.

All replies under this heading must be called for.

WANTED KNOWN

BACHELOR WANTS two others to share first class furnished flat in Kowloon, near Ferry. Reasoned but reasonable. Excellent food, washing and service. Apply Box No. 750 c/o "China Mail."

FOR SALE

HONG KONG DOLLAR DIRECTORY. On sale at all book-stalls and at the offices of the Publishers, 3A, Wyndham Street.

MISCELLANEOUS

YOUR VISITING CARDS neatly and promptly printed. "China Mail" Office, No. 3A, Wyndham St. Telephone 20022.

SPORT NOTICES.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

DRAFT PROGRAMMES and ENTRY FORMS for the ELEVENTH EXTRA RACE MEETING, to be held on SATURDAY, the 17th November, 1934 (Weather permitting), may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, Gloucester Building; the Club House, Happy Valley; the Hong Kong Club; the Sports Club; and the Stables, Shau Kwong Road.

Entries close at 12 O'clock NOON on THURSDAY, the 8th November, 1934.

By Order,
C. E. BROWN,
Secretary.

Hong Kong, 5th November, 1934.

GENERAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

TENDERS are invited by the two Administrations of the Canton-Kowloon Railway for the privilege of selling liquor and refreshments on the Through Trains running between Kowloon and Canton and vice versa.

Tenders will be opened and read at 2.00 p.m. on the 15th November at the Canton Head Office.

Forms of Tender and Regulations may be obtained from the Head Offices at Kowloon or Canton.

CANTON-KOWLOON RAILWAY, British & Chinese Sections.
5th November, 1934.

FOR SALE.

Selection of the best varieties of Reliable and Tested Flower and Vegetable Seeds.

The opportunity of serving you will be a pleasure and your commands will have our best attention.

GRACA & CO.

No. 10, Wyndham Street, P.O. Box 629 - Hong Kong.
Agents for:
Sutton and Sons Ltd., Reading; Toogood and Sons Ltd., Southampton; Arthur Tate & Co. Ltd., Sydney.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY

DENTISTS

MR. HARRY FONG, DENTIST.

DR. S. L. KWONG, Dental Surgeon

HAVE NOW REMOVED

To

King's Theatre Bldg., 5th Floor.

Telephone 21255

Consulting Hours 9 till 1

and 2 till 6.

ENGINEERS & SHIPBUILDERS

W. S. BAILEY & CO., LTD.,

Kowloon Bay.

Shipbuilders & Repairers. Call Flg "L"

Sole Agents for Kelvin Motors.

OPTICIANS

THE HONG KONG OPTICAL

COMPANY,

Phone 22232.

53, Queen's Road Central.

Cure Depression with

Leclithin!

NEURA LECITHIN

PEARLS

Most Powerful and Lasting Brain

and Nerve Restorer revealed

and established by

MEDICAL SCIENCE.

Containing purest Leclithin in

concentrated palatable form.

Indispensable for improving bodily

and mental freshness. Unsurpass-

able for treatment of Debility, In-

sonnia, Anaemia, Depression etc.

Manufacturing process per-

manently controlled by German

Government Chemical Test Office.

Sold in 1 size of 100 Pearls

Obtainable at

ALL DISPENSARIES.

LAMMERT BROS.

AUCTIONEERS, APPRAISERS

AND SURVEYORS.

Public Auctions

THE Undersigned have received

instructions to sell by Public

Auction

ON

Friday, the 9th November, 1934,

commencing at 2.30 p.m.

at their Sales Room,

Duddell Street

A Quantity of

VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD

FURNITURE

Comprising:—

Teak hatstands, Chesterfield

couches and armchairs, Teak

cabinets, Teak extension dining

tables and chairs, Teak chest of

drawers, Teak bookcases, Teak

bedstead, Teak wardrobes with

mirror doors, Teak dressing tables,

Tea, poyes, Screen, Ice chest,

Bronze ware, Cutlery, Dinner

crockery, Glass and brass ware,

Pictures, Carpets, Gramophones

and records, Teak filing cabinets,

Office desks, Typewriters, Rattan

chairs and table, Clocks, Cloisonne

vases, Books, Metal safes, Golf clubs,

Fire brasses etc., etc.

also

A Quantity of Blackwood ware

and

One Cottage Piano by "Robinson

Piano Co."

One Kelvinator.

One Grandfather clock.

On View from Thursday, the

8th November, 1934.

Terms: Cash on Delivery.

LAMMERT BROS.,

Auctioneers.

Hong Kong, 6th November, 1934.

ITALY'S FIGHT FOR HEALTH

Tuberculosis Campaign Costs Huge Sum

The Italian Government has made an expenditure of 1,645,309, 830 lire in the campaign against tuberculosis.

This does not include the tremendous sums spent by the Fascist party on seaside and mountain camps for children.

In 1927, deaths through tuberculosis in Italy amounted to 64,297, but this figure decreased in 1933 to only 35,420 persons.

RADIO

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wave length of 355 metres (845 K.C.'s):—

1-2.15 p.m.—European Programme.

1 p.m.—Local Time and Weather Report.

1.03 p.m.—Recorded Music.

1.15 p.m.—Relay of the Hong Kong Hotel Orchestra from the Hong Kong Hotel Grill Room (by courtesy of the Management).

1.30 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletins, Rugby Press News, etc.

2.15 p.m.—Close Down.

4-7 p.m.—Chinese Programme.

6-6.15 p.m.—Children's Studio Concert.

7-10.40 p.m.—European Programme.

7 p.m.—London and New York Stock and Commodity Quotations.

7.05-7.30 p.m.—Two Chopin Ballads Suite No. 2 in B Minor for Flute and Strings (Bach).

Willi Mengelberg and his Concertgebouw Orchestra.

1st Movement—Grave, leading to Allegro.

2nd Movement—Allegro.

3rd Movement—

(a) Rondo; (b) Bourree Nos. 1 & 2

4th Movement—Arrabande.

5th "Polonaise.

6th Movement—

(a) Menuet; (b) Badinerie.

7.30-7.47 p.m.—Two Chopin Ballads played by Alfred Cortot.

1. Ballade in G Minor (Op. 28).

2. Ballade in F Major (Op. 38).

7.47-8 p.m.—Four Songs by Danny Malone. (Tenor).

Mother Macree (Ball).

Believe me, If all those endearing

Young Charms (Moore).

Her Name is Mary (Ramsay).

When Irish eyes are Smiling (Ball).

8 p.m.—Local Time and Weather Report.

8.02-8.45 p.m.—Variety.

Xylophone Solo—Kitten on the Keys

12th Street Rag, Harry Robbins.

Vocal—Cuban Tango.

Whispering in the Dark.

The Viennese Seven Singing Sisters.

Organ Solo—I Want to be Snappy

Sidney Torch.

Vocal Duet—All of a Sudden

We just couldn't say Goodbye

Chick Endor and Charlie Farrell.

Selection—The Flower of Hawaii

Marck Weber and his Orchestra with the Comedy Harmonists.

Piano Solo—

One hour with you—Medley

Raisa da Costa.

8.45-9.15 p.m.—Orchestral Programme.

Hansel and Gretel (Humperdinck)

Berlin State Opera Orchestra.

1. Witches' Ride.

2. Ginger Bread Waltz.

Cockaigne Concert Overture, Op. 40.

(Elgar)

The B.B.C. Symphony Orchestra

conducted by Sir Edward Elgar.

Bart, O.M., K.C.V.O.

Summer Night on the River (Dellus)

Sir Thomas Beecham and The Royal Philharmonic Orchestra.

9.15-9.30 p.m.—Octets.

Andante in G (Bartiste)

Andantino (Song of the Soul)

(Lemare)

The J.H. Squire Celeste Octet

Collette, Valse (Fraser—Simson)

Memories of Devon, Valse (Evans)

The J.H. Squire Celeste Octet.

9.30 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletins,

London 1 p.m. Stock and Commodity

Quotations.

9.35-10 p.m.—Vocal Gons.

Lily of Killarney (Benedict).

Light Opera Company.

Viktoria and her Hussar (Abraham)

Light Opera Company.

The New Moon (Romberg)

Whoopes (Kahn)

Light Opera Company.

10-10.30 p.m.—Dance Music.

Fox-Trot—From Now on

A New Moon is over my Shoulder.

Remember Me.

Just like Jack, Just like Jill.

Tango—Dreany Serenade.

Fox-Trot—

At the Court of Old King Cole.

Heaven on Earth.

Cocktails for Two.

Waltz—Unless.

10.30 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletins,

Rugby Mid-day Press News, Further

London Stock and Commodity Quota-

tions, followed by New York Opening

Quotations.

10.40 p.m.—Close Down.

BRIDGE NOTES

Psychic Opening Bids

By Ely Culbertson.

Psychic Opening bids made with an effort to prevent opponents from reaching their best contract, whether game or Slam, sometimes prove very effective, even against strong opponents.

Against weak players they often have tremendous value and may prevent them from reaching even a game contract when a Slam is easily makable.

Against strong opposition, however, a purely psychic Opening bid is often of great assistance in reaching the correct contract because the subsequent partnership calling will make it clear as the noon-day sun that the opponents' bidding was only designed for interference purposes and had no solid foundation in honour-tricks and perhaps even scant foundation in distribution.

In a recent Duplicate game in New York City the hand below was dealt, and while East's Opening psychic bid on the hand may not have been a decisive factor in reaching the correct final contract by North and South, West's contribution of an inhibitory notrump was all that was needed to direct the subsequent bidding of North and South along the proper lines.

East, Dealer
North and South vulnerable

North:—
S—K Q 10 5 4
H—A 8
D—K 10 3 2
C—Q 7

West:—
S—8 7
H—Q 4 3
D—J 9 6 5
C—8 5 4 3

East:—
S—9 6
H—J 10 9 6 5 2
D—8
C—J 10 6 2

South:—
S—A J 8 2
H—K 7
D—A Q 7 4
C—A K 9

(Continued on Page 10.)

Amusements

Cinema Notes

"AUNT SALLY"—QUEEN'S THEATRE

A fast moving musical drama, "Aunt Sally", featuring Cicely Courtneidge, is now showing at the Queen's Theatre.

The story concerns the efforts of Sally Bird to break into a cabaret. When she succeeds she is kidnapped by gangsters and held for ransom, but she foils her abductors and gains her freedom.

Cicely is riotously funny, her songs, adagio dancing, and her interludes with the gangsters being brimful of humour.

Besides the brilliant performance of Cicely Courtneidge and the many delightful cabaret sequences in the picture, there are also many musical numbers including "You ought to see Sally on Sunday," "Riding on a Rainbow," "My Wild Oat," "If I had Napoleon's Hat," and "I Want a Fair and Square Man."

Sam Hardy, Hartley Power, Ben Weldon, Billy Milton and Phyllis Clare lend excellent support.

"GLAMOUR"—STAR THEATRE

The story of fame as a wicked enemy to happy marriage, and a ruthless destroyer of family life is now being unfolded at the Star Theatre, in Universal's production, "Glamour."

The opening scene shows the heroine, played by Constance Cummings, in the role of an insignificant chorus girl, whose insufficient talent soon makes her realise that a happy family life is worth more than any stage success.

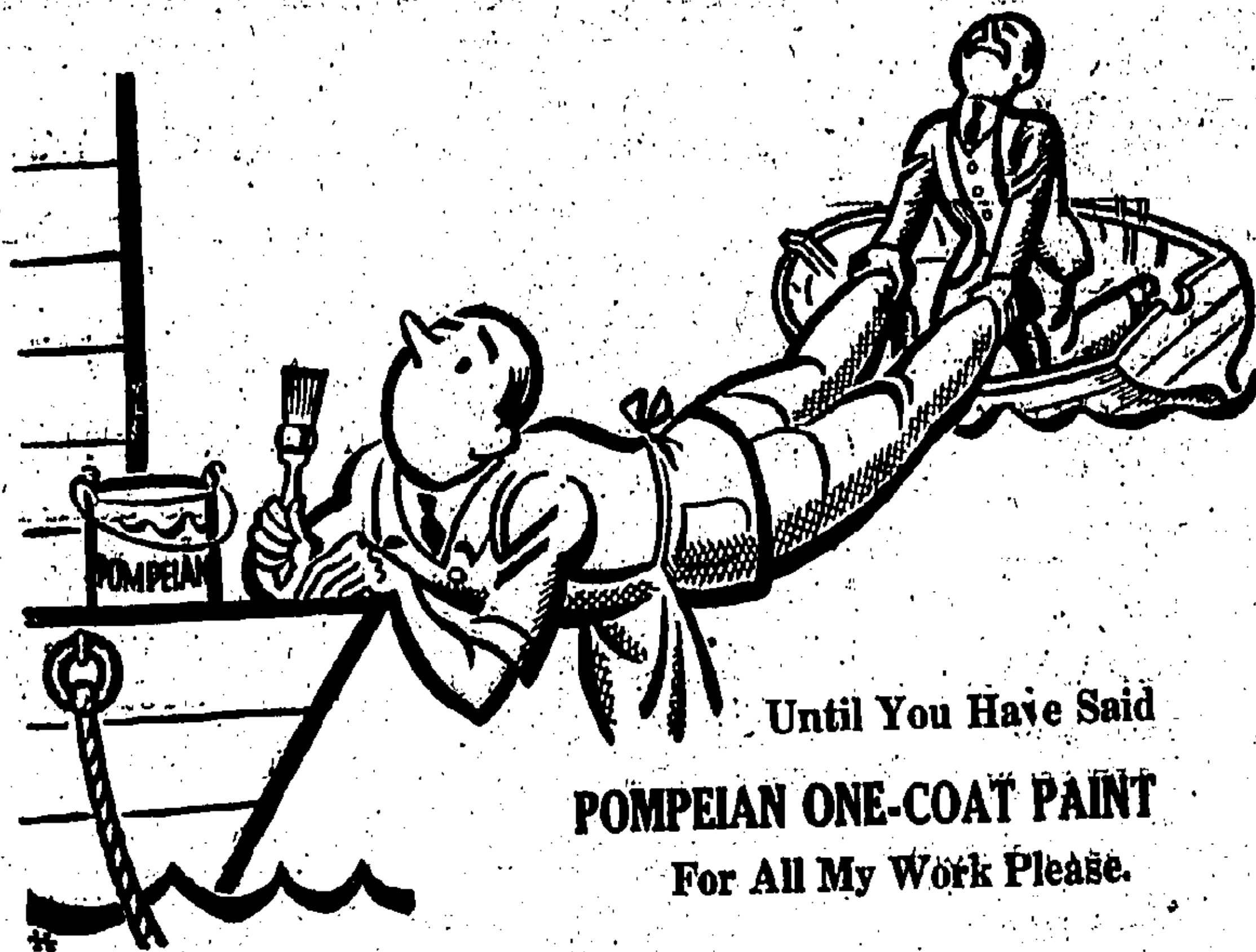
Supporting Miss Cummings in the principal roles are Paul Lukas and Phillip Reed.

"KING OF THE ARENA"—LEE THEATRE

Ken Maynard the noted actor of Western films, is starred in Universal's production, "King of the Arena," a Western romance, now showing at the Lee Theatre.

(Continued at Foot of Next Col.)

Don't let go the Painter



Until You Have Said
POMPEIAN ONE-COAT PAINT
For All My Work Please.

Pompeian Paint is specially prepared to an unequalled standard of richness and quality to ensure that ONE COAT will be enough for all ordinary paint work

SPORTING PAGE

KWOK TO TOUR VICTORIA WITH WORLD RECORD HOLDER

MCAVOY AND THE TITLE

£2,000 CHALLENGE TO ANY OF WORLD'S MIDDLEWEIGHTS

Marcel Thil Avoids British "Demon"

SUPPORTERS THINK HE CAN BEAT PETERSEN

(By GEOFFREY SIMPSON)
London, October 13.

THERE is an excellent prospect that Jack McAvoy, the British middle-weight boxing champion, will before long fight for the world title.

It is also probable that the contest will take place in England. At the moment two of our promoters are in the market, and one or the other is likely to tempt Teddy Yarosz, the American claimant to the title, to come here to-night.

The more one sees of McAvoy and his smashing body punching the more one is led to believe that in this young Lancashire middle-weight England possesses possibly the finest 11st. 6lb. boxer in the world.

His 71-seconds knock-out of the Belgian Etienne in Manchester on Monday night was only one of his many lightning victories this year. The improvement he has made since he took the middle-weight championship from Len Harvey is astonishing, and there are people now ready to support him to the limit in his bid for the world title.

Mr. Fred Shaw, a Cheshire sportsman and friend of McAvoy, announced yesterday his willingness to lodge £2,000 with the Board of Control for the Roehampton fight to meet any middle-weight in the world. But of more importance is the news that the Belle Vue, Manchester, promoters have made their biggest offer so far for Yarosz to visit England and oppose McAvoy.

Bigger Offer

Negotiations have been proceeding for some time. The first offer to the American was rejected, but (Continued on Page 5.)

JACK HOOD'S GREAT COMEBACK

Ex-Champion Beats Len Smith

London, October 13.

Jack Hood, the former welter-weight champion, had a great ovation from crowd of 8,000 at Birmingham last night when, in a brilliant return to the ring, he reversed the verdict Len Smith, of Birmingham, gained over him earlier in the year.

After that defeat, Hood announced his retirement, but last night he clearly demonstrated that his decision to resume boxing was fully justified.

FIGHT OFFER FOR PETERSEN

£1,000 To Meet Jack McAvoy

A Manchester syndicate is prepared to put up £1,000 for Jack McAvoy, the middle-weight champion, to fight Jack Petersen for the British heavy-weight title.

McAvoy is aiming high. Following his victory over Jack Etienne, the Belgian, in seventy-one seconds, a prominent Cheshire sportsman is prepared to back him for £2,000 against any middle-weight in the world.

Less than a year ago, Etienne boxed a draw with Marcel Thil, the world's middle-weight champion. The feeling of McAvoy's supporters is that the Englishman would do even better against Thil.



Jose Caratoli, a tough "gauchito" from the Argentine, is scheduled to fight Tommy Loughran of Philadelphia, at Luna Park, in Buenos Aires. His followers are sure that he will follow in Luis Firpo's footsteps toward the United States crown.

"Y" AQUATIC GALA AND DANCE FOR WINTER MONTH

AMBITIOUS EVENT FOR JANUARY

LONG FELT WANT FULFILLED

At a meeting of the Y.M.C.A. Swimming Committee, held last night, it was decided to hold an aquatic gala and dance during the winter months, a project never before attempted in the annals of swimming in the Colony.

The Y.M.C.A. are fortunate enough in possessing a swimming bath, which, thanks to its construction, can be heated during the winter months, bringing the temperature of the water to that of summer months.

With this in view and an excellent dance floor in addition, the Committee were unanimous in holding a gala and dance, the date decided upon being January 8, 1935.

(Continued on Page 5.)

The following was the programme decided upon:

Men's 100 Yards Free Style Championship.

Men's Pyjama Parade Division Extraordinary—Novelty.

Mixed Obstacle Race.

Mixed Relay.

Inter-Professional Relay Derby Race—Novelty.

Ladies 50 Yards Handicap.

Men's 50 Yards Handicap.

Water-Polo: Y.M.C.A. "A" v "B".

SOCCER'S £17,412 FOR CHARITY

Practice matches played in August yielded a sum of £17,412.

2s. 1d. for distribution to charitable institutions. Arsenal's games brought in £1,213 13s. 4d., easily the highest total.

In a friendly hockey encounter played at Shamshuipo Camp yesterday, the East Lancs defeated the Borderers by two clear goals.

BRADMAN AS SELECTOR

APPOINTMENT CAUSES SURPRISE IN AUSTRALIA

Victor Richardson Dropped

WOODFULL'S POSITION

(By P. J. MILLARD)

Two aspects of the appointment of Messrs. Dwyer (N.S.W.), Bradman (E.A.), and Johnson (Vic.) as Test selectors have caused surprise in cricket circles in Melbourne. They are the passing over of Vic Richardson in favour of Don Bradman as South Australia's representative, and the dropping of Woodfull without official explanation.

Dr. Dolling, South Australia's retiring representative, is abroad. It is believed that he was not nominated for re-election at the Board's meeting, but that only Bradman and Richardson were nominated as the South Australian representative.

Old-Timer's Exclusion

While the principle of appointing the prospective Test captain to the selection committee is sound it is considered unfortunate that it meant the rejection of Richardson captain and a selector of the S.A. side for some years, in favour of a player who has not begun to reside in the State, capable and respected as he undoubtedly is.

The official silence regarding Woodfull is significant, and indicates that the captain was dropped from the selection committee, without having first been given the opportunity of declining re-election, as he probably would have done. It is certain, however, that a majority of the Board took his retirement to embrace selector as well as player. There are good grounds for believing that both the captain and Mr. Johnson were nominated as Victoria's representative on the selection committee, and that Woodfull was defeated. His successor, however, is an equally capable selector, with the complete confidence of players and officials.

LADIES' GOLF AT HAPPY VALLEY

Mrs. Lissaman Wins Bogey Pool

Mrs. Lissaman won the Bogey Pool competition, organized by the Royal Hong Kong Golf Club's Ladies' Section at Happy Valley during October, with a card of three up.

Returning a card of 95-26-69, Mrs. Webb won the Medal Pool on the New Course at Fanling, while Mrs. B. D. Evans, with 99-28-71, qualified for the Captain's Cup during the month of October.

ALL-COMERS' RIFLE CHAMPIONSHIP

Win For Sgt. Foster Of U.S. Marines

U.S. Marines did well in the Shanghai All-Comers' Rifle Championship held at the rifle range last Wednesday morning. Sgt. C. D. Foster coming first, and altogether thirteen of their number being amongst the first twelve.

Foster scored 32-33-32 in the first stage of 200, 500, and 600 yards, and 50-49-47 in the second stage of 300, 500 and 600 yards, to make a total of 243, winning him the gold cross H. Evangelista of the Philippine Co. S.V.C. was second with 241 (silver cross) and B. M. Jordan of the S. M. Police third with 238 (bronze cross).

Local Aquatic Star With Jean Taris



With his bride a few days, Leo (Gashouse) Durocher, shortstop and captain of the St. Louis Cardinals, 1936 World Champions, is shown at breakfast during the World Baseball Series between the Cardinals and Tigers. Mrs. Durocher was the former Grace Dozier.

"FRED PERRY GOING OFF"

MAX BAER MAY DEFEND WORLD TITLE IN JUNE

Schmeling May Have Another Chance

New York, Saturday. Max Baer, a contender for Steve Hamas, a contender for Max Baer's heavy-weight title, probably at Miami, on February 28.

If Schmeling wins he will be matched with Baer in a title bout to take place in June. In the event of his defeating Baer, Schmeling is pledged to make his first defence of the title under the auspices of the Madison Square Garden authorities.

AUSTRALIA OUT OF DAVIS CUP?

Want New Eastern Zone

MR. BROOKES' URGE

Australia may not compete in the Davis Cup next year. They will not compete, according to Mr. Norman Brookes, president of the Victorian Lawn Tennis Association, unless a new Eastern Zone of the Davis Cup is formed.

This would mean that J. H. Crawford, Wimbledon champion in 1933 and runner-up to F. J. Perry this year, would not be seen at Wimbledon next year.

At a meeting of the Australian L.T.A. Mr. Brookes said (according to Reuters) that Australia wished to visit Japan, and would place this visit before competition in the European Zone of the Davis Cup.

If an Eastern Zone were formed, said Mr. Brookes, it would be possible for Australia to visit Japan and compete in the Davis Cup. For this reason Mr. Brookes pressed for a new Eastern Zone.

RECORD ROUNDS AT CREWS HILL

Middlesex Title For Whitcombe

London, Oct. 31.

C. A. Whitcombe (Crews Hill Golf Club), three-time holder of the Middlesex Professional Championship, has won the title for the fourth time.

Playing over the reconstructed course of the Crews Hill Golf Club, Whitcombe today won the championship with record rounds of 70-70.

TILDEN THINKS VON CRAMM MIGHT HAVE WON TITLE

Ranks Him World's Best Amateur

FRENCH CRITIC OPPOSES U.S. ACE'S OPINION

W. T. TILDEN said recently that Fred Perry, holder of the British, U.S., and Australian lawn tennis titles, was deteriorating. He would like to rank Von Cramm (Germany) as the world's best amateur, for he might have won at Wimbledon, if he had been fit.

Nevertheless Perry's performances entitled him to be ranked first.

Marcel Daninos, a French critic, after watching the U.S. championships at Forest Hills, says that Perry is incontestably the world's best singles player. G. M. Lott is equally superior as a doubles player.

M. Daninos declares that the standard of women's tennis is deteriorating.

MILITARY JUMPING COMPETITIONS

Five Entries For Events At New York Horse Show

New York, Oct. 31.

A fifth entry has been added to the list of army teams to compete in seven nights of international military jumping at the National Horse Show here on November 7-13. Show officials announced the French army had formally accepted an invitation to take part.

Heading the French team will be Captain Pierre Clave, leader of the 1932 team that appeared here. The French will compete each night in the military jumping and other events against teams from the United States, Canada, Irish Free State and Chile.—United Press.

GERMAN HEAVYWEIGHT RETAINS TITLE

Berlin, Oct. 30.

The German heavyweight boxing champion, Vinzenz Hoyer, retained his title in a bout with Arno Koeblin, who he beat on points in a twelve-round contest.

CENTENARY TRIP IN DECEMBER

BREAST STROKE TIME BETTERS AUSTRALIAN MARK

(By "REFEREE")

KWOK Chun-hang, the Colony and Interport Breast Stroke swimming champion, leaves Hong Kong for the Melbourne Centenary Games on December 18, by the s.s. Changtse.

After competing in the international carnival in Melbourne, Kwok Chun-hang will tour Victorian centres with Jean Taris, the famous French world record holder over several distances, and Emile Poussard, the French diver.

Since his arrival back in the Colony from Shanghai Kwok has not had the opportunity for practicing as the cold weather had already set in, and this has proved his main stumbling block.

It is, however, possible that Kwok Chun-hang will be granted permission to train at the European Y.M.C.A. swimming pool, which is heated throughout the winter season, and which will undoubtedly suit his purpose.

Kwok, who is only 17, has always specialised in breaststroke swimming. His best time for the 200 Yards is four seconds faster than Alan Higginson's Australian record.

TO-DAY'S FOOTBALL ENCOUNTER

Lincs Meet East Lancs In Premier League

The East Lancs and the Lincs meet this afternoon on the Kowloon Club ground, in their Premier League football match, which was postponed from last Saturday owing to the Tattoo arrangements.

The East Lancs are lying fifth in the Premier League table, while the Lincs have not played so well and are practically at the bottom.

The latter have lost their match-winning form of last season, but on Monday's night's showing in floodlight football, in which several of their forwards participated they give an indication of revival to form.

The East Lancs have not fared too badly and have drawn three of their five encounters.



LEAGUE TABLES TO-DATE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
South China "A"	5	5	0	0	16	4	10
South China "B"	6	4	0	2	17	8	10
Club	6	3	0	3	14	8	9
Borderers	5	2	1	2	14	10	6
East Lancs	5	1	1	3	10	8	5
Police	5	1	1	3	11	11	5
Athletic	4	1	1	2	18	11	4
Kowloon	5	1	1	3	8	14	3
Artillery	5	1	1	3	9	20	3
Lincs	4	1	2	1	7	12	3
Navy	4	1	2	1	4	8	3
Recruits	5	0	3	2	7	15	2
St. Joseph's	5	0	4	1	5	14	1

LEICESTERSHIRE ECONOMIES

Test Profits Unable To Stop £500 Loss

Details of a scheme to enable the Leicestershire County Cricket Club to carry on include a reduction, by various economies, of £2,000 a year in expenditure, bringing down the annual total to about £6,000.

The plan also provides for the introduction of graded staff and match pay for professionals, with talent and win-money.

It is estimated, however, that there will be a loss of £500 on last summer's even after the club has received its share of the Test match profits, and at least £1,500 is needed before the new scheme can be put into operation.



KWOK CHUN-HANG

BASEBALL STARS HANDICAPPED

Bad Weather In Tokio

Tokyo, Nov. 1.

All Tokyo is keenly disappointed over the steadily cooling weather and predicted rains because they are regarded as likely to hamper the best performances of the visiting American baseball players headed by the redoubtable "Babe" Ruth.

The major league stars from the United States are scheduled to reach Tokyo in the early afternoon to-morrow and will immediately attend a public reception in their honour at Hibiya Park.—United Press.

China Mail Sports Diary

TO-DAY.

Hockey—Mamak Tournament Royal Signals v. H.M.S. Whitshed 4.15 p.m.

R.A.S.C. v. H.M.S. Koppel (Navy ground, King's Park) 4.15 p.m.

Meeting—Victoria Chess Club (Lane, Crawford's Restaurant), 5.30 p.m.

Rugby—Club "A" v. Royal Artillery (Club ground), 5.15 p.m.

Soccer—Division I. East Lancs v. Lincs (Kowloon F.C. ground), 4.30 p.m.

TO-MORROW

Hockey—Funabish seconds v. Sikh Association (Marina), 5 p.m.

St. Andrew's v. Radio Indians (Marina), 5.10 p.m.

Meeting—Royal Hong Kong Golf Club Ladies' Section (Helena May Institute), 11 a.m.

Racing—Entries close for Eleventh Extra Race Meeting, noon.

FRIDAY

Hockey—Ninth Battery Royal Artillery v. Y.M.C.A. Seconds, 5.15 p.m.

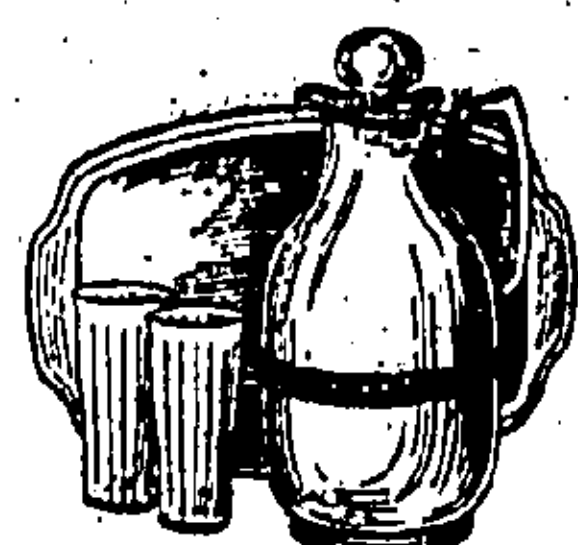
Meetings—Kowloon Chess Club (Central British School), 5.30 p.m.

"UNIVERSAL"**THERMOS****JUGS**

CAPACITY

ONE, TWO,
& THREE PINTS.

A

MOST
USEFUL
GIFTBEDROOM
SETS
INCLUDE
TRAY AND
TUMBLERS
IN COLOURED
ENAMELS

NEW STOCKS—REDUCED PRICES.

LANE, CRAWFORD, LTD.

SILVERWARE—DEPARTMENT

Columbia**THIS MONTH'S NOVELTY RECORDS**

- DB1250—The Blue Danube ... Grand Piano Orch.
DB1260—Hun Garlan Dances ... Grand Piano Orch.
DB1342—Tales of Hoffmann ... Grand Piano Orch.
DB1368—Not Bad ... Piano Duet.
DB1314—Mr. Whittington ... Gibbons and Boy Friends.

THE ANDERSON MUSIC CO., LTD.

Ice House St.

Tel. 21522

PHOTO SUPPLIES.

FREE OF CHARGE ON
DEVELOPING PRINTING,
copies

V.P.K. size & 3 1/2 x 2 1/2 100 @ 3 cents
2 1/2 x 4 & 3 1/2 x 4 100 @ 5 "

3 1/2 x 5 1/2 & Post card 100 @ 6 "

Enlarging at moderate price

PHOTO TAKEN DAY & NIGHT.

THE KWONG KWUI CO., LTD.

74, Queen's Road Central, Hong Kong. Tel. 22170.

The "SPALDING"

Tennis Ball

Is the ideal ball
for Hong-Kong

DURABLE and CONTROLLABLE

Obtainable from
all the leading
Sports dealers
in the Colony.

SPALDING

TENNIS BALLS

Distributors for Hong-Kong
GILMAN and Co.

SERVICE CORPS BEAT MAMAK CHAMPIONS**CRAIGENGOWER OPTIMISM****BRIGHT FUTURE SEEN WITH MEMBERSHIP INCREASE****Financial Statement Satisfactory****SPORT SUCCESSES**

A tone of confidence for the coming year was expressed at the annual general meeting of the Craigengower Cricket Club, which was held yesterday evening at the Clubhouse, Happy Valley, and which was presided over by Mr. B. W. Bradbury, the President.

In spite of the heavy outlay involved during the year under review in repairs and renewals, the revenue account showed a credit balance of \$446.85.

During the year 58 new members were enrolled, bringing the membership total to 254 (including 2 life members).

1934-5 Officials

The election of office bearers resulted as follows: President, Mr. B. W. Bradbury; Vice-President, Mr. C. S. Russell; Hon. Secretary, Mr. U. M. Omar; Hon. Treasurer, Mr. A. E. Coates; Auditor, Mr. D. Kharas; Cricket Captain, 1st XI, Mr. A. E. Hamson; Vice-Captain, Mr. J. L. Young; 2nd XI, Capt. Mr. W. K. Way; Vice-Captain, Mr. E. Sousa; Committee, Dr. V. N. Atienza, Mr. R. Bassa, Mr. H. Beer, Mr. W. J. Howard, Mr. A. B. Hamson, Mr. W. K. Way, Mr. H. Fox, Mr. E. el Arculli and Mr. J. S. Landolt.

Year's Sport

In the sporting activities of the Club, a billiard handicap competition was held and won by D. A. Rozario, H. Fox being runner-up.

A successful season was enjoyed in lawn bowls, no less than 54 players participating in the League games. From among the bowls players, R. Bassa, H. Beer, A. E. Coates and U. M. Omar (Captain) were selected to represent Hong Kong in the Interport Games in Shanghai.

Competitions were held during the season and resulted as follows: Singles Handicap—Dr. V. N. Atienza. Runner-up—Mr. J. Cavanagh.

Singles Championship—Mr. U. M. Omar. Runner-up—Mr. W. V. Field. Pairs—Messrs. A. J. Coelho & U. M. Omar. Runners-up—Messrs. Y. Abbas & G. Duncan, Jr.

Rink—Messrs. J. W. Leonard, E. C. Barry, J. S. Landolt & U. M. Omar (Skip). Runners-up—Messrs. D. A. Rozario, Y. Abbas, A. F. Paul & J. Cavanagh (Skip).

The cricket teams were entered in the League, the second being runners-up in the junior division. Interest in tennis was well maintained, and two teams were entered in the League. The players in "C" division did well and won all their games.

The results of tennis competitions held during the year were: Singles Handicap—Mr. H. J. Howard. Runner-up—Mr. G. Lia. Doubles Handicap—Messrs. A. J. Coelho & H. J. Howard. Runners-up—Messrs. Y. C. Mok & H. N. Chuang.

Mixed Doubles—Mrs. B. W. Bradbury & J. W. Leonard. Runners-up—Miss V. Bradbury & Mr. B. W. Bradbury.

The following were the cricket averages:

1st Eleven Batting

	I.H.S.	R.A.	Ave.
R. Lee	11	83	0 315 25.6
F.K. Lee	12	77	1 303 27.5
E. Zimmerman	8	87	1 162 23.1
J.L. Young	12	32	2 152 12.7
A.T. Lee	12	49	1 159 14.4
A.B. Hamson	8	33	0 108 13.5
F.R. Zimmerman	11	31	0 139 12.6

1st Eleven Bowling

	O.	M.	R.	Ave.
J.W. Leonard	13	52	3	306 30.09
W. Sparrow	11	35	0	324 29.4
E. Souza	13	52	1	253 21.1
T. Yeoh	12	41	1	197 17.9
S. Abbas	9	67	2	105 15.7
G. Sousa	10	51	2	119 14.9

2nd Eleven Batting

	I.H.S.	R.A.	Ave.
J.W. Leonard	13	52	3 306 30.09
W. Sparrow	11	35	0 324 29.4
E. Souza	13	52	1 253 21.1
T. Yeoh	12	41	1 197 17.9
S. Abbas	9	67	2 105 15.7
G. Sousa	10	51	2 119 14.9

2nd Eleven Bowling

2ND FLYER DOWNING				
	O.	M.	R.	W. Ave
S. Abbas	109.5	21	361	50 7.2
W. Sparrow	77.1	15	191	23 6.8
W. K. Way	62	10	212	22 9.6
G. Sousa	19	6	62	5 12.4
L. Hubbard	63	16	180	11 16.2

ANOTHER WIN FOR DAVIS AT SNOOKER

Lindrum Loses Ground in Defence Of World Title

Melbourne, Oct. 31.
Joe Davis, the English billiards star, to-day recorded his third successive victory over Horace Lindrum, world's snooker champion, in their contest for the world's unofficial snooker title. Davis won by 20 frames to 10.

McAVOY AND THE TITLE

(Continued from Page 4.)

In view of McAvoy's recent performances a much larger bid has been made. The amount is not disclosed, but it may be assumed that about \$5,000 would be needed to tempt Yarosz to make the trip.

Mr. "Jimmy" Johnston, who is not having a very successful time at Madison-square Garden, is very much interested in the match and has cabled an offer to McAvoy, but this static plum will not likely be surrendered by Manchester, and London, too, in the person of Mr. Jeff Dickson, will bid for it.

The British Title

McAvoy's future so far as the English boxers of his class are concerned is decidedly dismal. He is due to defend his British championship against Al Burke the London-born Australian, whom he will stop in quick time. But after that what then?

There is not an English-born 11st. 6lb. man worth matching with McAvoy. Even Marcel Thil, the official world champion, will have none of him.

America claims Yarosz as the champion, he having beaten Vince Dundee, so that if McAvoy can get a verdict over him it will mean something. Thil would have to fight him then.

McAvoy is one of the fittest men in England—a non-smoker, and tottaller, though he is the proprietor of a public-house—and he is rated so highly by his backers that they are sincere in their belief that he can beat Jack Petersen.

Challenge Stands

"Pa" Petersen scoffed at this proposal when it was first made, but McAvoy's representative informed me yesterday that their \$1,000 challenge to Petersen still holds good.

Personally, I am more interested in the Yarosz proposal, and it is to be hoped the present negotiations will be successful.

A new man to be reckoned with in the middle-weight class is our old friend Jack Hood, who started even his friends by his triumphant return to the ring on Monday.

I saw Len Smith completely out-fight Hood, but in the return match the boot was very much on the other foot. Evidently, Hood had trained with extraordinary care, but though he was in supreme condition it was significant that he could get to no lower weight than 10st. 9lb.

This seems to rule him out as a welter-weight, and if he is really sincere in his attempt to regain championship status he will have to direct his attention to McAvoy.

"Y" AQUATIC GALA AND DANCE FOR WINTER MONTH

(Continued from Page 4.)

Among the feature events are the Men's 100 Yards Championship, the Inter-Profession Relay, an entirely new event and totally different from an Inter-Hong relay, and several novelty events.

Fred and His Pals, are being engaged for the dance which follows the gala.

The prices of admission will be 50 cents to the gala and \$1.20 for the dance. Tickets will not be sold at the door, but these will be on sale several weeks before the date of the gala. Dress will be informal.

ENGLISHMAN'S ZENITH AT LAWN TENNIS

An Englishman does not reach his zenith in lawn tennis until he is about 32, so that it would be possible for some one taking up lawn tennis at 25, had he sufficient ambition and perseverance, to become champion of the world.—John Olliv.

**CLUB "A" IN ACTION THIS AFTERNOON****Meeting Combined Fifteen**

The combined Royal Artillery and Lincolnshire fifteen will make their rugby debut this season against the Club "A" fifteen this afternoon, at Happy Valley at 5 p.m.

The Club have included several newcomers in this afternoon's team, which, with the additional first fifteen players, looks fairly strong.

The following is the team:—G. P. Lammer; R. Goldman, R. H. Griffiths, L. G. Robertson and G. B. Jones; J. Hutchison and H. O. Tudor; R. L. Cherrill, R. G. Castleton, B. D. G. Barlow; I. H. Bradford, S. H. Garrod; D. A. Cummings, J. T. Edkins and M. W. Scott.

Reserves—H. R. McGilchrist and W. G. O. Knowles.

Referee—Dr. J. A. R. Selby.

On Saturday the Club "A" will meet the Army "A" at Sookunpoo at 3 p.m., and the first fifteen will meet in a friendly fixture on the same ground at 4.15 p.m.

As Monday is a Holiday there will be no Rugby practice that evening.

GYMKHANA AT POLO CLUB**Governor Presents Cup For Saturday's Event**

Preparations for the Polo Club's Gymkhana which takes place on Saturday afternoon, at Causeway Bay, are now in full swing, and judging from the enthusiasm displayed, competition for the various events should be very keen.

It was announced yesterday that H.E. the Governor had presented a silver cup for the jumping competition, while the South Wales Borderers have given a cup for the Best Handy Hunter.

The entries for these two events, which are confined to China ponies, close to-morrow at 5.30 p.m.

The Gymkhana will start at 2 o'clock sharp.

AUSTRALIAN BOY PROMOTED**West Parade To Meet Stronger Opposition**

The following are the alterations and additions to the classification lists dated of the Hong Kong Jockey Club, August 28:

Australian Boy to A Class.
Woodland Stage to B Class.
China Ponies to C Class.
West Parade to C Class.
Racing Luck to D Class.

ANGLO-FRENCH ATHLETIC MEET SHOW \$130 LOSS**Dates For 1935 Events Announced**

London, October 18.
The Amateur Athletic Association showed a slightly smaller profit on the year 1934 than on the previous year.

The cost of the Loughborough Summer School is approximately \$130, and the experiment will be repeated in 1935. The banquet to the competitors in the Empire Games cost the association some \$185 and the loss on the French match came to \$130.

The following dates and venues for the big athletics meetings for 1935 have been approved by the general committee:

June 1—County Championships.
June 22—District Championships (North, Midlands, and South).
June 29—Great Britain v. Finland at Glasgow.
July 12 and 13—A.A.A. Championships at White City, London.
July 20—Oxford and Cambridge v. Harvard and Yale, London.
July 27—Great Britain v. France, White City, London.
August 11 or 12—Great Britain v. Germany, at Cologne, Germany.

LATE GOAL DECIDES**POLICE GIVEN FIRST CHECK IN PRESENT SERIES****HALFORD SHOWS GREAT FORM****POOR GAME WITNESSED**

The Police received their first defeat in the Mamak Hockey tournament this season, when they were beaten by the Royal Army Service Corps by one goal to nil in their encounter on the U.S.R.C. ground yesterday.

Although without the assistance of "Chris" Pile, on the right wing, the Police fielded a strong team, but were unable to hold the Service Corps forwards, who were led by Senior, the scorer of the only goal.

Halford, at pivot for the winners played a magnificent game, bearing the brunt of the attack.

There were many occasions on which the Police forwards got going and pierced the opposing defence, but their efforts were frustrated by a lack of combination.

Wing Weakness

Pennell on the left wing was the weakest of the Police forwards, missing numerous opportunities through hesitation.

Blackburn played a steady game in the first half, but his hitting was erratic in the second.

Senior, who scored the only goal was entirely out of the picture until the last fifteen minutes, when he found his true form.

The first half of the game was very even, the Police having the better part of the play. Both defences worked hard, but both forward lines were lacking in combination. Toogood, at inside right was good, but slightly selfish with the ball.

In the opening minutes of the second half, the Police got away to a fast forward movement, which was only checked when they gained the Service Corps' goalmouth. After that, the R.A.S.C. improved but were unable to score.

Barlow's Initiative

Barlow was the only forward to attempt to score, but his shots, which were all accurate, were easily stopped and cleared by the Police goal-keeper.

Following a corner awarded to the military team, Senior scored.

Police:—B.11; Kusby Mohamed and Blackburn; Tate, Gough and Haywood; B.28; Parker, Perkins, Wass and Pennell.
R.A.S.C.:—Houghton, Tippet and Ramson; Grant, Halford and Meeker; Barlow, Dalley, Senior, Toogood and Jeffers.

MAMAK LEAGUE TABLE TO-DATE

	P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	Pts.
R. C. of Signals	5	3	2	3	17	17	9
St. Andrew's	4	3	1	11	7	6	5
R.A.S.C.	2	1	3	1	4	3	5
Police	4	2	1	7	2	5	6
R.I.C.	2	2	0	9	7	3	4
United	3	1	0	2	3	2	4
R.E.	2	1	0	1	3	3	3
University	3	1	1	5	4	3	3
Whitfield	4	0	1	3	6	3	3
Whitfield	1	0	1	0	1	2	0
Keppell	4	0	4	0	5	15	0
19th Battery	3	0	3	0	1	5	0

TO-DAY'S HOCKEY ENCOUNTERS**Young Sikhs To Meet Engineers**

Two hockey games are scheduled to take place in Kowloon to-day. The Hong Kong Club are meeting the Borderers at King's Park, while the Young Men's Sikh Association encounter the Royal Engineers on the Marina ground.

The following will represent the Club:—C. L. Gregory, J. Rodger, (Capt.) and E. V. Reed; G. Sommers, W. A. Reed and J. L. Tetley; N. A. E. Mackay, H. O. Eymble, A. T. Lay, A. A. R. Bezhlo and J. W. Pope-Hunt.



The historic America's Cup, which the United States retained in the international yacht races off Newport, R. I. Millions have been spent in 70 years to lift and to defend the "old mug" which originally cost approximately \$250.

MELBOURNE CUP SENSATION**Favourite Places Last In The Field Of 22 Starters****MUDDY TRACK**

Melbourne, To-day.

The favourite, Sir Simper, finished last in the Melbourne Cup classic at Flemington Race Course yesterday, when Peter Pan, at 14 to 1, beat Sarcherie and Last Robe.

His Royal Highness the Duke of Gloucester drove in state along the straight and was given a tremendous reception from 100,000 racegoers, who were soaked to the skin from the rain, which lasted until just before the start of the race.

Always the principal classic race in Australia, the Melbourne Cup this year was worth \$10,000, and owing to the Centenary Celebrations, attracted more than usual interest.

The result was:

Peter Pan	1
Sarcherie	2
Last Robe	3

There were 22 starters. Peter Pan won by three lengths, with a neck separating the second and third horses. The winner's time was 3 mins. 40 1/2 secs. The betting was 14/1 Peter Pan; 50/1 Sarcherie; and 25/1 Last Robe.

The favourite, Sir Simper, after being fifth two furlongs from the winning post, was gradually passed by the remainder of the entries and finished last.—Reuter.

RUGBY INTERNATIONAL FINED

A fine of £10 with three guineas costs was imposed at Guildford recently on Lieut. commander John William Forrest of H.M.S. Curacao, Portsmouth, English Rugby football international, and captain of the United Services' team, for being in charge of a car in Guildford High-street at 8.20 p.m. on September 24 while under the influence of drink. He was also fined 30s. for having no lights on the car.

(Capt.) and Kapoor Singh; Darshan Singh; G. Singh; Awtar Singh; Attar Singh and Jangeer Singh. Reserves: Jivan Singh and Attar Singh.

SIGNALS DEFEAT "Y" IN POOR GAME**Losers Field Only Seven Men**

In a very poor game of hockey at K. Y. Park, yesterday, the Royal Corps of Signals defeated the Y.M.C.A. first eleven by two goals to nil.

Although the "Y" were only able to field seven players, they held the Signals until the latter stages of the second

ST. STEPHEN'S COLL.
SPEECH DAY

(Continued from Page 8.)

Tradition Development

"I believe that it is considered usual on occasions such as this to say a few words especially to the boys, but I confess that I always feel very diffident about it. Max O'Rell once wrote 'advice is a luxury chiefly enjoyed by the one who gives it.' I doubt, however, whether I can claim to enjoy even giving advice. It is so very difficult to find anything new to say on any subject which one might reasonably bring up. There are, however, two things to which I should like to refer. One is the well-known theme of tradition. I should indeed hesitate to refer to it were it not that St. Stephen's College, from its special constitution and aims, appears to me more than any school in Hong Kong to offer the opportunity for developing great traditions.

"Now the word tradition implies that it is something handed down, but it is not sufficient to go to a school and merely accept the traditions that you find there; it is essential that you should foster and develop such traditions, and hand them down in turn to your successors, not only unimpaired but enhanced, and tradition does not merely imply pride in the school and its past, but pride in all that the school stands for in its reputation for integrity, honesty and straight dealing. Each of you must do your very best to help not merely to maintain such a reputation at a high level, but even to raise it so that you may feel when you leave that you have added something to the value of what was entrusted to you.

Nationalism Dangers

"It has been said that tradition and discipline are essential to the development and maintenance of national life, and of this there can be little doubt, and these characteristics must surely be developed to the full.

"In this connection I should like to say that Nationalism looms very large to-day, but it has its dangers. There is no doubt that a nation should set out to develop and purify its national life, but only as a step towards greater things. A weak, inefficient, or dishonest nation is bound to be a clog in the great world machine, and it is the duty of each nation, while strengthening and improving itself, to keep alive to the fact that in doing so it is not developing itself merely into a strong isolated unit, but is making itself fit to take its proper place in the world.

"To those of you who are on the threshold of a wider life of citizenship I venture to commend these thoughts for your consideration.

"The other matter about which I should like to say a word is that of good manners. One cannot but feel with some sadness that the tendency of the world to-day is to neglect good manners. By that expression I do not mean mere etiquette, but rather politeness and consideration for your fellows whether they be old or young. True good manners must be based on such consideration for others. It is not necessary to be insincere. There are many people who think that it is much more straight and honourable to behave and speak exactly as they may feel at the moment.

"Rochefoucauld said in one of his celebrated maxims 'the majority of young people believe themselves to be natural when they are only unpolished and unmannerly.' There is, I fear, a touch of that idea in the part of the world from which I come, namely the north of England. The average Northerner prides himself on standing for no humbug, but just saying exactly what he thinks and feels. Now there are times that it may be desirable, and perhaps even necessary, to show candour, but even so there is a right and wrong way of doing it.

Appeal For Politeness

"Whether it is that the speed of life has increased so much that people cannot be bothered to indulge in courtesies to the same extent that they used to, I cannot hope that as this is my first of say, but there is no doubt that there has been a deterioration in this respect, a thing which is allowing the College at some greatly to be deplored. Courtesy by convenient date a day's holiday and consideration for others, too day.



"Smile and the world smiles with you," so goes an old axiom. But some of the world's leaders apparently don't believe it. This layout shows characteristic poses of five of the outstanding leaders, but note the vast difference between the smiling countenance of President Franklin D. Roosevelt, and the grim lines on the faces of Josef Stalin, Dictator of Soviet Russia; Premier Benito Mussolini, of Italy; Reichsfuehrer Adolf Hitler, of Germany, and Mustafa Kemal Pasha, Ghazi of Turkey.

SERGEANT BAKER
LAID TO RESTLarge Gathering
Present

ESCORT OF 50 OFFICERS

Sergeant L. V. Baker, of the Hong Kong Police Force, who died from a gunshot wound at the Central Police Station on Monday night, was yesterday afternoon buried at the Protestant Cemetery, Happy Valley, an escort of 50 European sergeants and constables, taking part.

Among the senior officers present were the Inspector-General of Police, the Hon. Mr. T. H. King, Mr. P. Grant, Assistant Superintendent of Police; Chief Inspector R. H. E. Marks, and Inspectors J. McLellan, J. Brennan, D. J. Dredge, S. Logan, R. J. Hunt and Chiang Jen-yu.

Mr. R. M. Omar and B. A. Hyder represented the St. Joseph's Football Club for whom the late Sergt. Baker had at one time played.

Many Floral Tributes

Wreaths were sent by the Hon. Mr. T. H. King, Mr. and Mrs. P. Grant, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. C. Calthrop, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. E. Marks; Robbie at Lokmarchau, His Old Friends M. Flaherty and S. Smith; A. Friend;

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Carey, Mr. and Mrs. J. McLellan, Mr. and Mrs. Mair and family, Mr. and Mrs. F. Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. W. Gowans, Mr. and Mrs. J. Walsh;

Messrs. A. A. Hopkins, Pilkington, R. Ellis, Bentley, J. Whant, A. Grossman, J. E. Scott, Sergeants Reddy and Davitt, Sergt. P. Barnicle, Sergt. A. Riach, Mr. A. J. Mantion, Sergt. F. Weare, Sergt. D. Fitches, Inspector Brennan, Inspector Chiang Jen-yu, Sergt. Davies, Sergt. Carson and Sergt. Baker, Messrs. Feely and Alexander, Mr. John B. Law, Mr. D. J. Brown;

Single Sergeants Mess, Central Police Station; European Staff, Guards Office; Sergeant Mess, Mongkoktsai; Single Sergeants Mess No. 2 Police Station; Sergeants Mess, Central Police Station; Police Inspectors Mess, Yau-mat; Police Training School; Sergeants Mess, Kowloon City; Sergeants Mess, Shamshui; Water Police Mess; Traffic Office, Kowloon; Yau-mat Police Sergeants Mess; Royal Naval Yard Police; and Members of the Police Recreation Club.

help so much to make the wheels of life move along smoothly, and I, therefore, appeal to all of you boys not to undervalue their worth, and again I stress, what I consider to be a fact, that true politeness is not based on rules of etiquette, but on kindness and consideration for the feelings of others. Now that must end my brief preaching.

"In conclusion I express the hope that as this is my first of say, but there is no doubt that there has been a deterioration in this respect, a thing which is allowing the College at some greatly to be deplored. Courtesy by convenient date a day's holiday and consideration for others, too day.

ART AND DRAMA

GLASS INTERIOR
OF A CHURCHWidow's Memorial To
Lord TrentLALIQUE WORK OF
STRIKING DESIGN

As a memorial to her late husband, the first Lord Trent (better remembered as Sir Jesse Boot), Florence Lady Trent has undertaken a remarkable and highly original scheme of restoration and redecoration of St. Matthew's Church, Millbrook, Jersey.

This parish church, which stands close to Lady Trent's house, in the outskirts of St. Heliers, had fallen into serious disrepair. It has been entirely rebuilt within, only the exterior walls having been allowed to remain.

During his frequent visits to Jersey, extending over a period of many years before his death, Lord Trent and his family frequently attended St. Matthew's Church, and the new church will be a permanent and beautiful memorial to a most generous benefactor to the parish and to Jersey.

The work, which has occupied many months, is now completed, and the new St. Matthew's was dedicated on September 29 by the Bishop of Winchester, Dr. Garbett, in whose diocese the Channel Islands are included.

Supremely Simple

The main feature of the church is the glass work of the noted French artist, Rene Lalique. Practically all the decorative work is in opaque glass instead of being in wood, stone or iron. What strikes the eye on entering is the supreme simplicity of the ornamentation.

The principal entrance door has two wings of oak, in each of which a rectangular glass panel is inset. The design of both panels is identical.

It is of conventionalised angels with arms crossed on the bosom and hands resting against the front of the shoulders. The head remains one of a Rossetti painting, and there is always a suggestion of the pre-Raphaelite style in the glass work of the angels' robes.

After passing through the outer door, one enters an enclosed space and faces the inner door. This is likewise composed of two wings of oak, but the design on the glass panels consists merely of a series of decorated squares. To the right and left are small doors in the same style.

Glass Altar Cross

Entering the body of the church through the inner door, one perceives a remarkable opaque glass altar cross standing on a pedestal and higher than 15ft. high. The altar cross is in the glass, and the arms are decorated with conventionalised lilies in low relief. Below the arms the pillar contains the arms of the lilies worked in parallel lines, from which little glass leaves shoot out on each side. The lilies and their stylized stems

SON TO SUCCEED
FATHERNew Manager For
London Theatre

Mr. Horace Watson, who has died at the age of 67, was a familiar figure in theatrical London for over 40 years.

He was once a wheelwright in South-West London. He found his first job in the theatre behind the scenes at the old Lyceum. Then he migrated to the Haymarket with Frederick Harrison and Cyril Maude in 1896.

When Harrison died eight years ago his will appointed Mr. Watson to the entire control and management of the theatre.

The new manager will be Mr. Horace Watson's son, Stuart. He has been associated with his father for some years. He is married to the singer, Miss Sylvia van Dyck.

NOTED CONDUCTOR'S
BIRTHDAY

Karl Muck Now 75

Karl Muck, one of the most famous conductors of Wagner music, has just celebrated his 75th birthday.

Karl Muck has been for years one of the main figures at the Bayreuth Festivals. He is also well known all over the world for his guest conducting at various operas and concert halls.

MUSEUM PURCHASES
- BUST OF MADACH

Work Of Hungarian

A bust of Madach, the author of "The Tragedy of Man," which was commissioned by the Madach Society from a Hungarian sculptor, will be bought by Herr Robbelling for the museum of the Burg Theatre, in Vienna.

are the motive of most of the remaining glass work.

The candle-holders, standing 12ft. high, on either side of the cross, are in this design, and the motive is repeated in the glass choir screen. The rectangular windows provide yet another distinctive feature, for the glass, instead of being stained, consists of small opaque rectangular panels in the lily pattern.

At night the church is lighted by three parallel "beams" of matt (dull) glass running along the whole length of the vault. These contain electric lamps. The angel motive is found again in the glass altar, piece of the private chapel within the choir screen on the left-hand side. Even the font is in glass work.

While all this work has been in progress the congregation has attended the private chapel in the grounds of Lady Trent's house.

THE old idea that a dozen medicines were needed for a dozen complaints—that laying up for indefinite periods was necessary—that it was also necessary to take dangerous drugs and narcotics—was an illusion. 'ASPRO' has dispelled it. For it is the medicine that takes the place of a dozen medicines, because, after ingestion in the system, it is an internal antiseptic—an anti-pyretic or fever reducer—an anti-periodic—a powerful germicide, and a solvent of Uric Acid, and, therefore, banishes the causes of numerous complaints. That's why 'ASPRO' banishes headaches in five minutes. It's the time test for quick action, and it stands the test of time. 'ASPRO' soothes the irritable—brings sweet sleep to the sleepless—relieves rheumatism in one night—smashes colds and influenza at inception. Furthermore, 'ASPRO' does not harm the heart or the stomach. It can be taken by all, from child to parent, anywhere, any time. The price is within the reach of all.

BUY A PACKET TO-DAY FOR PROOF.

RESULTS IN 5 MINUTES

'ASPRO' Hunts Out Neuralgia and Rheumatism

145 Nicholson Street, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000.

15 PROVED USES:

- 1 It relieves Headaches in 5 to 10 minutes.
- 2 It brings Sweet Sleep to the Sleepless.
- 3 It relieves Rheumatism in one night.
- 4 It will ease the Nerve Pains of Neuritis and Neuralgia.
- 5 Take 'ASPRO' to relieve Toothache.
- 6 'ASPRO' taken according to directions will smash a Cold or Flu attack in 24 hours.
- 7 It brings relief without harming the heart.
- 8 It soothes away Irritability.
- 9 It 'speedily' reduces Temperature.
- 10 The stabbing pains of Sciatica and Lumbago can be 'banished' out with 'ASPRO'.
- 11 It can be taken at any time, in Train, at Home, at Business—anywhere—everywhere.
- 12 It gives great relief to women when depressed.
- 13 It relieves all after effects of Alcohol.
- 14 It relieves Dengue and Malaria by reducing the Fever.
- 15 As a Gargle 'ASPRO' is wonderful for Throat and Tonsils.

DODWELL & CO., LTD.
Distributors:
Three Packings: 5's, 10's, 20's.

JOHN DRINKWATER'S
PERSIAN VISITFamous Dramatist At
Firdausi Millenary

Mr. John Drinkwater, the poet and dramatist, left Victoria yesterday for Persia, to attend the millenary celebrations in honour of Firdausi, the Persian poet. He was accompanied by Sir Denison Ross, Director of the School of Oriental Studies and Professor of Persian in the University of London.

"The Persian Government have asked one representative from every country to attend the celebrations and I have been invited on behalf of English letters," said Mr. Drinkwater before leaving. "The celebrations begin on October 4 and will last ten days."

GENERAL GORDON'S
MESSAGEHistoric Relic Sold
In London

A message on a piece of paper the size of a postage stamp, sent out by General Gordon asking about relief while he was besieged in Khartoum, has been sold by auction in London for \$7.

The messenger at the risk of his life went over the desert to ask where the relief column was, and to give the information that Gordon had an army of 8,000 in Khartoum. The message, written in Arabic, contained the words "God will be with me" and "I am waiting for you."

YORK BUILDING
CHATER ROAD.KOMOR
&
KOMOR
HONG KONGART & CURIO
Experts.New goods arrived.
From 50 cts. to \$5,000.
Every article marked
in plain figures.Bronze Age Find
Near Yaroslavl
4,000-Year-Old Graves
And Trinkets

A burial mound has been excavated on the outskirts of the village Patyanovo, near Yaroslavl, dating back to the Bronze Age. Seven graves of people who lived about 4,000 years ago have been opened and studied. Human skeletons in bent up positions were found in the graves, together with various utensils, rings, bracelets and amulets.

ART EXHIBITION AT
SHANGHAIYoung Viennese Artist's
Work For Show

Mr. Frederick H. Schiff, the young Viennese artist, who has been spending spring and summer in Peking, who has returned to Shanghai, expects to hold an exhibition of his paintings and drawings.



WHITBREAD'S PALE ALE

BREWED IN ENGLAND
FROM THE FINEST
MALTED BARLEY &
HOPS

THE BEER
WITH THE
HOME-SIDE TASTE!

Sole Agents—

A. S. WATSON & CO., LTD.

Wine & Spirit Merchants.

Established 1841.

G. FALCONER & CO. (HONG KONG) LTD.

WATCHMAKERS, & JEWELLERS.

DIAMOND MERCHANTS.

Union Building (opposite G.P.O.).

Agents for:—ADMIRALTY CHARTS,
ROSS'S BINOCULARS and TELESCOPES,
KELVIN'S NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS,
ENGLISH SILVERWARE, direct from Manufacturers,
High Class English Jewellery.

REDUCE WITH INKRETAN

A BIOLOGICAL PRODUCT IN TABLET FORM

is

STANDARDISED

made by the same factory as

PROMONTA

THE WELL-KNOWN NERVE FOOD

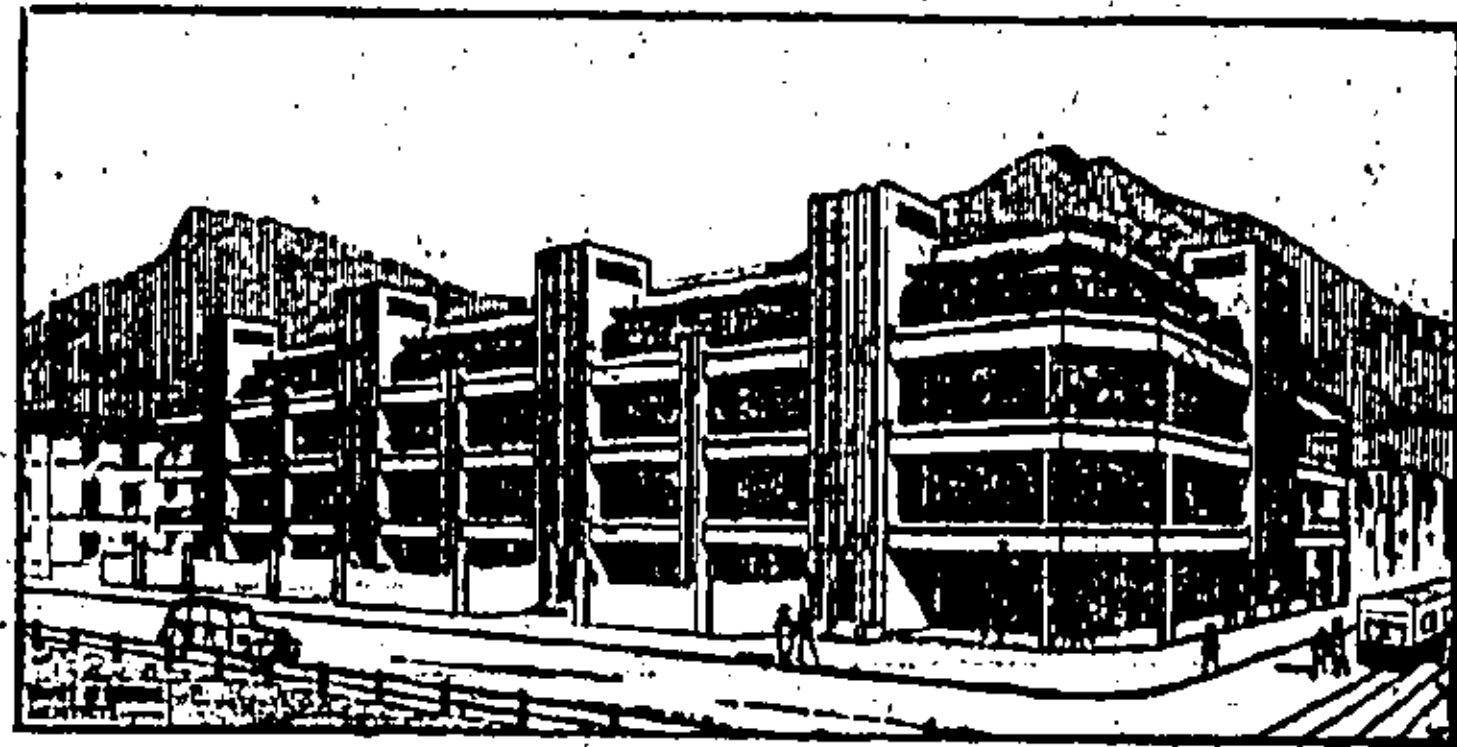
Obtainable from all dispensaries and stores

Sole Agents:

BORNEMANN & CO.

Prince's Building Des Voeux Road, Central

HONGKONG



BAYVIEW MANSIONS

TO LET

JUST COMPLETED 31 ATTRACTIVE MODERN
STYLE FLATS ON CAUSEWAY BAY ROAD
FACING POLO GROUND. 4 LARGE, BRIGHT
AND AIRY ROOMS. HOT AND COLD WATER.
REFRIGERATORS AND GARAGE IF REQUIRED.
TRAMS AND BUSES STOP NEAR ENTRANCE.
HALF OF FLATS LET PRIOR TO COMPLETION.

For further particulars

Apply to

METROPOLITAN LAND COMPANY, LTD.

For Keys to Premises apply to: Asia Life Building,
No. 14, Bayview Mansions, 14, Queen's Road Central,
Ground Floor. Tel. 26631.



KING'S STUDIO

相影星景

No. 14, Queen's Road C.
1st. floor of Wang Hing
Jewellers' shop.

Manager: E. N. WAN
Tel. 28768.

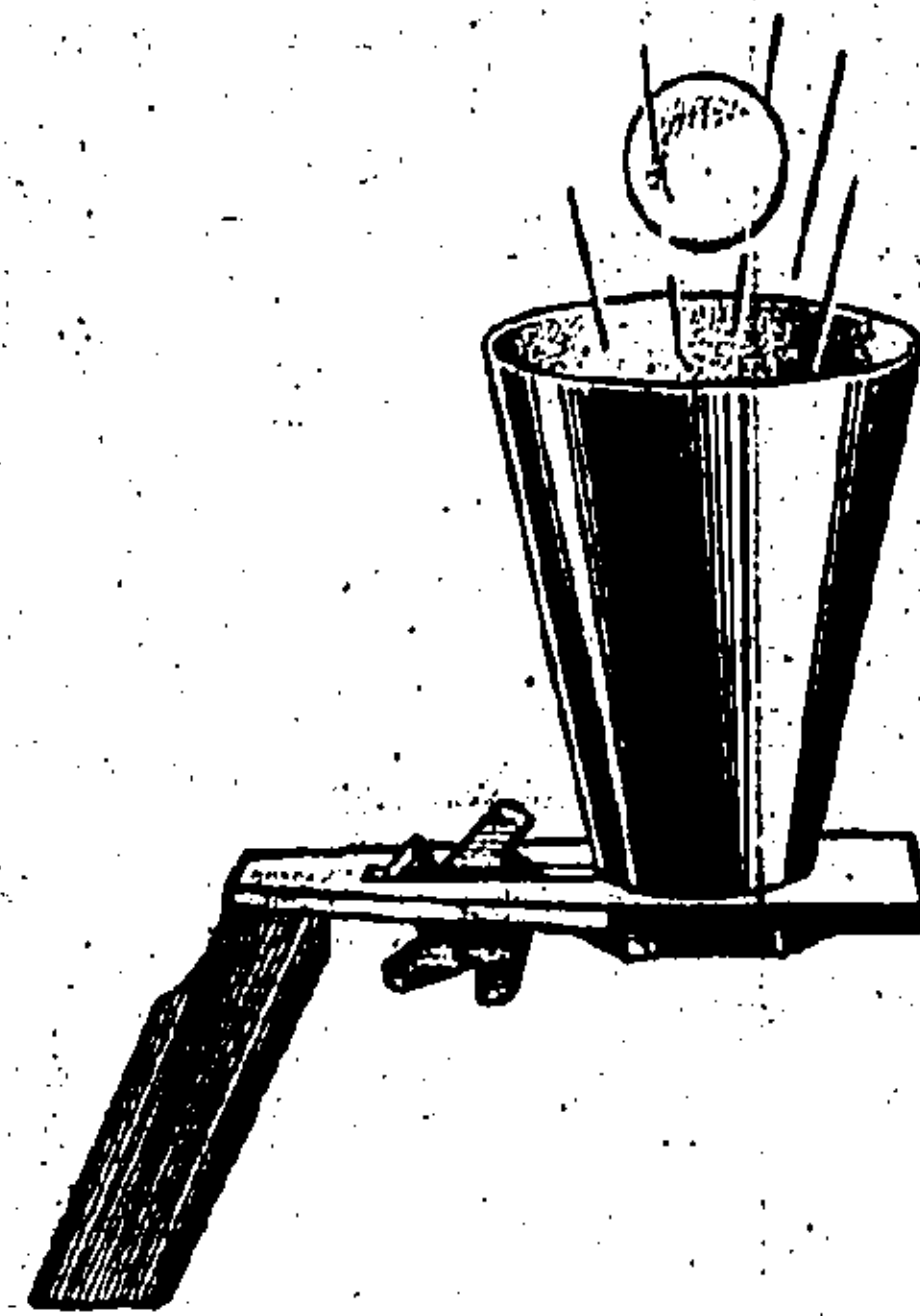
GIFTS.

Photographs are not a gift you
give to anyone—but they're
the ideal gift for those who
care about and those who care
about you. And when you
have them taken by King's
Studio you've got a real gift,
an artistic, beautifully finished
picture that really does you
justice.

We take portraits and
enlarge all kinds of photos at
the cheapest price. The best
work you can never get in
town.

KLICKUP

Here is a great idea!



As illustrated. Held
in the hand like a
pistol. By pulling
the trigger the ball
is repeatedly pro-
jected from the
Cone and must be
caught again.

Klickup is an immensely fascinating game which can
be played indoors as well out in a variety of in-
triguing ways by one or a number of players.

NOTE

THE PRICE

75 cents each

Whiteaways
WHITEAWAY LAIDLAW & CO. LTD.

The China Mail

Hong Kong, Wednesday, Nov. 7, 1934.

A Woman General Booth

The High Council of the Salva-
tion Army has elected Comman-
der Evangeline Booth to the
position vacated by the retire-
ment of General Higgins. The
Army's general office is thus
again vested, not as a matter of
right but by the free choice of
the Army's most experienced offi-
cers, in the family of its founder.
The news will be received with
the greatest satisfaction not only
by Salvationists but by the pub-
lic at large. Few episodes of re-
cent times created such general
sorrow as the crisis which led to
the election of General Higgins.
There is no need to dwell now on
the painful circumstances of
those days. Enough to say that
the zeal of the Army in the
common cause sufficed to avert
the feud, which at one time
threatened, so that the Army's
work was not seriously affected
by the dissensions at its head-
quarters. But memories must
have remained, and their bitter-
ness has now been finally assuag-
ed. The first General's daugh-
ter, is now General in her
father's stead, and the name of
Booth regains its old pre-
eminence in the Army's hier-
archy.

In wishing the new General
all success in her tenure of the
post to which she has been
elected so auspiciously, we
would pay our tribute to the ser-
vices rendered by her predeces-
sor. General Higgins took over
his office under conditions which
made the stability of the whole
great organisation dependent on
his tact and good sense. Happi-
ly for the Army, he made no alibi.
With an unobtrusive devotion to
duty, which quickly won him
general confidence, he brought
back to the Army its old effi-
ciency and with it the old Salva-
tionist pride in the work done
and to be done. Hence it is that
the High Council, meeting now in
an atmosphere very different
from that prevailing when it as-
sembled in 1929, has been able to
give full consideration to ques-
tions of procedure then neces-
sarily left in abeyance. The
cautious approach to the election
made it certain that the Coun-
cil's choice, when finally made,
would be accepted without cavil
as authoritative and binding.
May the consequences of this elec-
tion be altogether worthy of the
hopes which it inspires, and may
the Army, under its first woman

General, strengthen yet fur-
ther its already established posi-
tion as one of the great social in-
stitutions of our time.

Artificial Radium

Less than forty years ago
Mme. Curie discovered radium.
Then began a new epoch in
science and a great expansion of
man's power over Nature. We
are only yet learning the rudiments
of the use of radium in the
cure of disease. In the discov-
ery which Mme. Curie's
daughter and son-in-law, M. and
Mme. Curie-Joliot, described to
the recent International Confer-
ence on Physics, it may prove
something of even greater prac-
tical importance than the first
fundamental achievement. They
have found a way to make other
elements exhibit the special ac-
tivities of radium. They be-
lieve that it will not be long be-
fore these artificial radio-active
elements can be used in medi-
cine and that their intensity may
prove even superior to that of
preparations of natural radium.
At the present time, it has been
estimated, the whole world has
produced but 700 grammes of
radium. The British National
Radium Trust has only been able
to buy 19 grammes. The devel-
opment of the treatment of
malignant disease by radiology
has been gravely impeded in
every country by the scarcity of
the natural element and its enor-
mous monopolist price. If the
expectations of M. and Mme.
Curie-Joliot are realised—and
they have been confirmed by the
results of other investigators—the
hospitals will, for the first
time, have at their command all
the radio-activity which they can
usefully employ for the process
of artificial production should be
cheap. We may then have a
great development of medical
practice.

Personal Para-

Mr. J. P. Sherry, manager of
the Hong Kong Telephone Co.
Ltd., returned to the Colony by
the m.v. Yasukuni Maru yester-
day.

Mr. B. Naess, of Messrs. Kar-
sten, Sarssen and Company, re-
turned to the Colony by the m.v.
Yasukuni Maru yesterday.

Mrs. J. H. Seth was among the
passengers who returned to the
Colony on board the m.v. Yasukuni
Maru yesterday.

The forthcoming wedding of Mr.
Ubaldo Farinacci Avelino, Chief
Officer of the s.s. On Chao, to Miss
Chan Sui Chan has been announced
to take place shortly.

HERE, THERE and EVERYWHERE

LOVER OF PERSIA

Sir Denison Ross, whose mas-
tery of Oriental languages is
legendary, but whose love of Per-
sian in particular is both audible
and voluble, has left for Tehran.
He is taking part in the Firdausi
millenary celebrations.

Firdausi is the epic poet of
Persia. Many a so-called illiter-
ate Persian can reel off scores of
his lines by heart.
Few Greeks of to-day could do
that with Homer, and how many
Englishmen with Shakespeare?

MONSIEUR SANTA CLAUS

British toys will make their first
prominent appearance in Paris
shops this winter.

Toy manufacture is one of the
most important seasonal industries
of France but for some years the
French manufacturers have been
unable to produce enough toys to
satisfy the demand.

Recently, huge quantities of toys
have been imported from Germany.
Then the Germans put an embargo
on French goods.

In retaliation the French put the
contingent on German goods.

British manufacturers were quick
to seize the opportunity.

Your Daily Smile!

An American tourist was making
his way through an Indian reservation
when he encountered two Indians.
Tending to be sociable he stopped, and
holding up his hand in salute, he said,
"White man greets red man. White
man hopes red man is well."
One Indian turned to his companion
and remarked, "Say, Mike, is this nut
screw?"

Up for Months
First Aviator: "No one has a chance
to beat Bill in this endurance flight."
Second Aviator: "Why?"

First Aviator: "His wife told him
she was planning to start 'cleaning
house' as soon as he came down."

Long Preliminary
Mistress: "I've asked Mr. and Mrs.
Smith to dinner at seven, Mary; but
I think we'll give them a quarter of
an hour's grace."
Mary: "Well, ma'am, I'm religious
myself, but I think that's rather over-
do!"

LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

The anticyclone over north-west
China is strengthening and extend-
ing eastward and southward. A
deep depression is moving eastward
across the northern part of the sea
of Japan, according to a Royal Ob-
servatory report this morning.

Lung Lan, a 19-year-old girl, of
No. 20 Bridges Street, was admit-
ted to the Government Civil Hospi-
tal yesterday suffering from the
effects of lysol poisoning, said to
have been self-administered.

The R. M. E. Empress of Asia
left Vancouver for Hong Kong on
Saturday and is due here on
Thursday, November 22. She will
leave for Manila on the same day.

The R. M. S. Empress of Japan
left Shanghai this morning and is
due here on Friday at 9 a.m. She
will leave for Manila at 5 p.m. on
the same day.

The Indian Silk Merchants As-
sociation is to-day celebrating the
Devall Festival at Lady Mody's
bungalow, Conduit Road. The
celebrations, which include bil-
liards, singing and tiffin, will con-
tinue until 7 p.m.

"That international sporting
contests are imperilling interna-
tional friendships" will be the
subject for the first of the season's
debates to be held at the
European Y. M. C. A. to-night.
Messrs. S. A. Gray and E. R. Price
will take the affirmative, while Dr.
E. L. Allen and Mr. D. J. S. Cro-
zier will take the negative.

Suffering from head injuries
after being felled by a plank of
wood while working on the Hong
Kong and Shanghai Bank site, Tsai
Shing, a mason was sent to the
Government Civil Hospital yester-
day.

A fine of \$10 was this morning
imposed on "Tsang Shum-shi," a
woman residing at No. 412 Lockhart
Road, third floor, and a girl, her
owner, by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the
Central Magistracy, for failing
to notify a change of address.

WHEN PARLIAMENT BURNED

LONDON'S DISASTER OF A CENTURY AGO

ONLY BARE WALLS SAVED

(By Walter G. Bell.)

COMING up to London a cen-
tury ago, travellers by coach
at night had a spectacle
set before them. Out into the
country the word had gone, "Par-
liament is on fire!"

As they approached near they
saw flames leaping high above the
separate buildings, illuminating
all Westminster, and a band of
dense smoke rolling away to the
north before a fresh wind.

Darkness had fallen that fete-
ful day—it was Oct. 16, 1834—
when at about 6.30 Mrs. Wright,
the Palace housekeeper, opened
the door of the House of Lords
chamber. Amid smoke and dust
she noticed fire rising from be-
neath Black Rod's box. (London
learned later that that afternoon
the stoves beneath the peers' floor
had been stuffed full of old notched
wooden Exchequer tallies, which
were set alight for destruction.)

Almost quicker than the alarm
could spread the flames gave the
message to the town.

Old Hand-Worked Fire Engines

Soon after half-past seven the
Lords' roof fell in with a tremen-
dous crash. Streets and bridge by
then were choked with sightseers.
Watermen rowed hundreds of on-
lookers out on the river.

As the night wore on all three
regiments of Foot Guards were
brought up to keep a clear space
around the blazing Palace. The
Royal Horse Guards trotted in
from Knightsbridge Barracks,
hauling their large fire-engine,
Other "powerful engines," as
then counted (manuals which
threw up a jet of water by the la-
bour of teams of men), were sent
with haste by the London Fire
Engine Establishment, the Coun-
ty Fire Office, Elliot's Pimlico
Brewery, and from neighbouring
parishes.

Deptford Dockyard despatched
two, and a fire-boat, came up
Thames from Rotherhithe.

What could they do? Substan-
tially, nothing. Mr. Braidwood,
the fire-chief who later met his
death at the great Tooley-street
fire, was there, but in the ruffled
state of administration at the
time there was no fire officer to
take supreme control. Lord Mel-
bourne, the Prime Minister, was
found in town, though Parliament
was up, and was most active in
giving directions, but he hardly
made an efficient substitute.

Historic Relics Saved

From the Lords the fire passed
rapidly to the Painted Chamber—
conferences between the two
Houses had customarily been held
in that historic room—and thence
to the Commons and the Speaker's
house. All were consumed dur-
ing the night, together with the
surrounding Parliamentary offices.
The fire burned with great fury.
A "Morning Chronicle" reporter
described the sight, perhaps
somewhat inadequately:

"The vivid view of the rapid
flames as they rolled round this
large frontage of public build-
ings, driven by the shifting
wind—the glare of the tower-
ing flames, the volume of smoke
which mixed with the raging
element—the repeated crashes
of the falling roofs—all com-
bined to impress the crowds
who attended the fire with
feelings of awe never to be
forgotten."

"In the midst of this striking
scene the Chapel of Henry VII.
and Westminster Abbey appear-
ed enveloped in flames."

At some risk of life, Mr. Butts,
the son of the Sergeant-at-Arms,
saved the Chancellor's mace. It
was the mace which was borne
before King Charles I. when he
passed to execution. An histor-
ical document of matchless inter-
est, the warrant for Charles's
death, signed by Cromwell and
his fellow-judges, was lost in the
confusion and not returned to
official custody for many days.
Parliamentary papers were hung
out from office windows to the
pavement for storage anywhere
near, and some were thereby de-

stroyed or found saturated by
water.

Rufus's Westminster Hall was
for hours in fearful danger but
happily stood intact and unhar-
med when at length anxiety for its
fate was at an end.

Great Armada Tapestry

That apart, there were lost the
last vestiges of the ancient Palace
of Westminster, the home of the
Kings of England back to the Con-
fessor. We have still the crypt
of St. Stephen's Chapel, so mur-
derously treated as to conceal all
age and interest, and a fragment
of cloister—that is all.

The House of Lords was the old
Court of Requests till refitted for
its new purpose at the Union of
Great Britain and Ireland. It
made no architectural or historical
claims. The Commons was far
different. St. Stephen's Chapel had
been originally founded by King
Stephen. Rebuilt in 1347 as a
collegiate church, it was surren-
dered at the Reformation. King
Edward VI. gave it to the Com-
mons for their sittings.

Long, narrow and dimly light-
ed, the debating chamber offered
little to the eye. A wooden floor
had been laid above the Chapel
flag-stones, a lower inner roof in-
troduced and galleries built.

But the Chapel itself as finish-
ed by Edward III. was of great
beauty externally and internally.
At the Union with Ireland it be-
came necessary to enlarge the
fabric, and walls and roof, ex-
posed after long concealment,
were found to be curiously
wrought and ornamented with a
profusion of paintings and gild-
ing, the colours being still vivid.
It was there that Charles I. had
come to arrest the Five Members
—his first time, and the last, that
the Sovereign has been seen in
the Commons; there that Crom-
well had ordered the removal of
the bauble; there that Burke
and Fox, Chatham and Pitt, had
made impassioned speeches that
keep a foremost place in English
oratory. Therein, too, at a later
age, had been heard the maiden
speech of the young Gladstone,
"the rising hope of the stern un-
bending Tories."

The place had imperishable
memories; but of the material
House the flames spared nothing
save bare walls.

Bitter, too, was the destruction
of the Painted Chamber, for with
it perished that great Armada
Tapestry. This celebrated work
of craftsmanship was divided into
compartments, each of which con-
tained a portion of the story how
the England of Elizabeth had met
and defeated the might of Spain.
Around the compartments, form-
ing a border, were portrait heads
of the several gallant officers who
commanded in the English Fleet.
As an historical document in
needle-work it stood second in im-
portance only to the earlier Bayeux
Tapestry.

(Continued on Page 11.)

GENERALISSIMO AT TATUNG FU

Taiyuanfu Populace Plan Big Welcome

Marshal Chiang Kai-shek, and
Madame Chiang arrived at Tatung-
fu from Peiping yesterday in con-
tinuance of their northern tour.
Marshal Chiang will shortly leave
for Taiyuanfu, the provincial
capital of Shanxi, where the popu-
lace are planning an elaborate re-
ception for China's military head.
Marshal Chiang will be met by
General Yen Hsi-shan, "The Model
Governor."

One case of small-pox, two cases
of diphtheria, six cases of typhoid
fever, and one case of meningitis
were reported in the Colony dur-
ing the week ended November 3.
During the same period one per-
son died from small-pox, three
from diphtheria, one from typhoid
fever, one from meningitis and 40
from tuberculosis.

St. Stephen's College Speech Day

His Excellency The Governor On Tradition And Manners

"THERE are two things to which I should like to refer," said His Excellency the Governor at the annual prize-giving of St. Stephen's College at Stanley this afternoon. "One is the well-known theme of tradition. I should, indeed, hesitate to refer to it were it not that St. Stephen's College, from its special constitution and aims, appears to me, more than any other school in Hong Kong, to offer the opportunity for developing great traditions."

"The other matter about which I should like to say a word is that of good manners. One cannot but feel with some sadness that the tendency of the world to-day is to neglect good manners. By that expression I do not mean mere etiquette, but rather politeness and consideration for your fellows whether they be old or young."

His Excellency addressed the large gathering as follows:—

"It is a great pleasure to my wife and myself to be present at this Prize-giving to-day. It is the first formal official visit that I have paid to the College, but my wife and I paid an informal visit a year or two ago and were most interested in all that we saw. I have always been greatly impressed by the work done by the College and have watched its career with great interest. The Warden's report to which we have just listened shows a fine record of progress during the past five years that this Institution has been at Stanley."

"I congratulate it especially on the outstanding success which it achieved in the Matriculation Examination and on the number of pupils who have entered the University. I also congratulate it on the success which it has attained in the teaching of Chinese. This is a very difficult question, and I have always felt it by no means an easy problem to solve in this Colony. There can be no doubt that it is right that the Chinese should have an adequate knowledge of their own language with all the culture which it brings, and it is always desirable that they should, if possible, acquire a good knowledge of English, which language is spoken to-day to such a large extent throughout the world. The difficulty has always been to find time in a boy's curriculum to teach him both these languages without leaving him in the position of not having an adequate knowledge of either. This College seems to have succeeded to a large extent in solving the problem and I trust that the success which it has achieved in the past will continue."

Wide Activities

"I am glad that the College is a strong supporter of the Scout Movement, and that it pays considerable attention to various forms of sport. Its activities are very wide, and there is no doubt that these can be made more comprehensive in a boarding school such as this than in the average day school."

"I also wish to express my appreciation, both on behalf of the Government and the Colony, for the very valuable work which Dr. Stewart and the students have done in connection with the dispensary in Stanley Village. It is an excellent idea to inculcate in boys at this early age the idea of social service especially service of such a useful nature. I have no doubt that the teaching of simple hygiene is part of the curriculum of the College."

"The College was founded in 1903, and was a most praise-worthy effort on the part of the founders to provide for this Colony a public school on the lines as understood in England. That it has achieved notable success as such is shown by the fact that the proportion of boarders has now reached the high figure of 96 per cent, thus justifying the wisdom and foresight of those who initiated the scheme. It is a great thing to have successfully launched such an institution in this Colony. There is no doubt that such a school is of great influence in forming the character of its pupils. Moreover, life in a community such as a public school affords is of immense advantage. On these grounds in particular it is to be commended to such parents as can manage it to send their boys here."

Founder In Colony

"It is of great interest that we still have with us to-day in the Colony one survivor of the original founders in my friend, The Hon. Dr. B. W. Te'o. He has every reason to be proud of the part which

he took in originating the scheme. The school has produced notable citizens among whom I might mention: The Honourable Mr. T. N. Chau, a Member of our Colony's Legislative Council. It has also provided three out of four Government Inspectors of Vernacular School. Its influence reaches far afield, and its pupils comprise some 50 per cent. of overseas Chinese. It must be very gratifying to the College that old boys have made their mark both in China and Malaya."

"The original institution started in Bonham Road, but came to Stanley five years ago prepared, apparently, to face the risk of a site which had had a bad history from a health point of view. I need hardly say that it is most gratifying to the Government that the work that has been carried out with a view to reducing the risk of malaria has been so successful, and that this place may now be regarded, in the words of the Warden, as 'a health resort.' The fact that the Council of the College had every confidence in the future of the College, despite the health record of the site, is evidence by the fact that it has spent during the past five years no less than \$450,000, and has erected 10 permanent buildings. I am very glad that such confidence has proved justified."

(Continued on Page 7)

SUPREME COURT CEREMONY

Barrister And Solicitor
Admitted

MESSRS. SHE AND CHAU

Before the Chief Justice, the Hon. Mr. A. D. A. MacGregor, at the Supreme Court this morning, a barrister and a solicitor were admitted to practice at the local Bar on motions by the acting Attorney-General, the Hon. Mr. R. E. Lindell.

In moving the approval of the admission of Mr. George She as a Barrister of the Supreme Court of Hong Kong, the acting Attorney-General said that Mr. She was a member of a highly respectable and honourable family, and had been born in the Colony.

Six years ago Mr. She went to Oxford University where he graduated. He later went to Switzerland to continue his studies, and was called to the Bar at Gray's Inn last year.

His Lordship said that it gave him very great pleasure to accede to the acting Attorney-General's motion, and wished Mr. She the best of luck in the career he had chosen for himself.

The acting Attorney-General then rose to move an application for the approval of Mr. Chau Hung-nin, as a solicitor. Mr. Chau, said the acting Attorney-General, was a first cousin to the Hon. Mr. T. N. Chau.

In 1928, Mr. Chau was articled to Mr. G. G. N. Tinson, one of the principals of Messrs. Johnson, Stokes and Masters, and, after serving his required five years' articleship, went to England in 1933, where he joined a London firm of solicitors, the agents of Messrs. Johnson, Stokes and Masters, in order to get the necessary experience in English Law.

In June last year Mr. Chau sat for his papers before His Lordship.

His Lordship said that it also gave him great pleasure to accede to the application of Mr. Chau, and wished him every success in his work.



Loretta Young is given a big chance in 'The House of Rothschild,' coming to the King's Theatre on Sunday.

ARMISTICE DAY TIME-TABLE

Accommodation For 300
At Law Courts

TICKETS AVAILABLE

The time-table and the arrangements for the Armistice Day ceremony in Hong Kong have been announced. Special accommodation for 300 persons is being reserved to the north of the Law Courts. Application for tickets should be made before to-morrow to the Staff Captain, Headquarters, China Command.

Time Table

10.45.—All troops and representative bodies to be in position.

10.49.—Officer Commanding, Royal Air Force, arrives.

10.50.—The Senior Naval Officer arrives.

10.52.—His Excellency the General Officer Commanding arrives.

10.53.—The Clergy and Choir arrive. They will rendezvous prior to this hour in the Law Courts.

10.57.—His Excellency the Governor arrives.

10.59.—Massed Buglers of the 1st Battalion, The Lincolnshire Regiment and the 1st Battalion, The South Wales Borderers, will sound the "Last Post."

11.00.—One gun will be fired by one of His Majesty's Ships.

11.00-11.02.—The Silence.

11.02.—The gun will fire a second round of blank to terminate the silence.

(Continued on Page 6)

HE REFUSED TO BE SEARCHED

Caught With \$300

On the application of Mr. T. P. K. Kemble, solicitor for the defence, the case against Wong Iing, a stoker on board the s.s. Lung Shan, who was charged with importing 300 Yuan Shi-kai dollars from Canton into the Colony, unmanifested, was remanded until to-morrow, by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning.

Revenue Officer Grimmit stated that accused refused to be searched when he was arrested yesterday, and that he had the bag containing the silver dollars under his arm.

OPIUM AND HEROIN PILL DEALING

\$2,000 Bail Granted

In asking for a week's remand, in the case against Li Chung Ling, a 39-year-old unemployed, who was charged before Mr. E. I. Wynne Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning with opium and heroin pill-dealing, Revenue Officer Humphreys stated that they had papers actually relating to the deal in their possession.

He then asked for a bail of \$2,000 which was granted. Mr. D'Almada is appearing for the defence.

OPIUM IN RAT TRAPS

A fine of \$2,800, in default eight months' imprisonment, was imposed on Lee Sang, a 39-year-old unemployed, who appeared before Mr. E. I. Wynne Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning on a charge of being found on the Kowloon Railway Station with 140 tins of raw opium concealed in 12 rat traps.

To-day's Short Story.

THE PEACOCK AND THE THRONE

By Dewan
Sharar

OUTSIDE in the compound, glowing like living jewels in the brilliant sunshine, the peacocks strutted and preened, and cried their harsh unlovely cry, and spread their gorgeous tails in proud display before their quiet-coloured wives. It was near feeding-time, and they knew it, and kept surging up in a sea of burnished emerald and sapphire towards the door where, at any moment young Hari Lal, who owned and bred them, might be expected to appear with a heaped-up bowl.

In those days the making of peacock-feather fans was a thriving industry in Delhi; and though the peacock was as sacred then as now to the Hindus, even sacred birds must moult, and the shed tail-feathers were a source of considerable revenue to their owner.

Hari Lal was late. He was busied upon a matter of such importance that for the moment he had forgotten even his peacocks. In the long covered yard behind the house, where fuel was stored, he was throwing a knife at a billet of wood.

He had set the billet up at one end of the yard. It was about the height and breadth of a man. He had nicked little pieces out of it here and there, so that the white wood showed through the bark; and at each of these marks he aimed in turn; and each time he aimed he hit. At length he ceased, and turned to the girl who sat on a heap of logs watching him with troubled eyes.

"I am satisfied," he said. "There is no danger of my missing him now."

"None," the girl agreed subduedly. "But I would give anything in the world if it need not be!"

The young man frowned a little.

"Would you have me do other-wise, Ambika?" he said sternly.

"Be he Emperor or no Emperor, shall any man do what Shah Jehan did and go unpunished? He and his huntsmen came trampling over

my-land as if it were so much jungle they slew half my peacocks that were wandering at large, and called it sport, and rode off laughing."

"Leave revenge to the gods," the girl Ambika urged. "The peacock is sacred. They will see to it in their own good time that the sacrilege does not go unpunished."

"I care nothing for the gods; little have they ever done for me. But I will have my vengeance for the wrong he did me; and with the same stroke free the land from an intolerable tyrant. Remember, I am not alone in this; we who have sworn his death are a fast-growing brotherhood."

"I wish you had never joined that evil company. And even if you say Shah Jehan what more will it do than avenge your own wrong? He has sons to inherit the throne; and be very sure that they will avenge his assassination on the Hindu population."

TO-MORROW'S STORY

To-morrow's story will be
"The Fighting Cock, by H. A. Manhood."

"Not so. More hangs on the deed than that," Hari Lal said. "For long our Hindu and Rajput princes have been ready to revolt against him because of the harsh treatment accorded to us. To-day will show my words true, when he celebrates his birthday and ascends the new throne that has taken seven years in the making. Our princes are his hidden guests at the ceremony. They come reluctantly; they are already secretly leagued together against him. His death will be as the spark that sets great forests afire."

"But, Hari, it will mean your own death also!"

"That I know," said young Hari Lal steadily. "Ambika turned away in tears. 'I wish you and I had never met!' she sobbed. 'I wish we had never played together as children, grown up side by side, learned to love each other, planned betrothal and marriage—all to end like this! Better that I at least had never been born!'"

"There are greater things in life than love and marriage," Hari Lal said.

"Maybe—if you do not fail."

"There is no danger of failure. Old Mullah Kazim has arranged everything—my admission to the Court; the rich clothes that shall enable me to pass unnoticed in that throng of nobles."

"I hate that man. It was an ill day when you met him."

"He is indispensable—the most useful of all our little band who plot against Shah Jehan and his tyranny. Without him we could do nothing."

"He is a Mohammedan and a traitor to his kind."

"Less a traitor than a fanatic. He rages against Shah Jehan's extravagance, holding it a sin. This whim of the Emperor's for a new and costly throne has goaded him almost to frenzy. None has seen the throne as yet save the craftsmen who have worked on it, and they are sworn to secrecy; but it has cost a fortune. The decorations alone have taken a year; the making, seven." He laughed.

"That throne has been a piece of good luck for us; it has brought the Mullah on our side."

"Good luck, you call it?" said Ambika bitterly. "I do not."

The boy's stern young face softened.

"Ah, Ambika, do not think I count our love as nothing!" he said with a sudden break in his voice.

"But the oath I have sworn must come first."

The deep note of the temple gong quivered upon the early morning air.

"It is time for me to set forth," Ambika said. Hari Lal.

She clung to him in an agony of farewell.

It being the Emperor's birthday, in the forenoon he was weighed against riches, with pomp and

(Continued on Page 10.)

LEE THEATRE

SHOWING TO-DAY

DAILY AT 2.30, 5.30, 7.30 & 9.30 P.M.

CARL LEAMMIE presents

KEN MAYNARD

"KING OF THE ARENA"



Excitement and Thrills of the "Big—Top" Hair-Raising Adventures on the Bandit Chase . . . Spine Tingling Mystery . . . Hair Trigger Action!

with
Lucille Browne — Bobby Nelson — A Universal Picture.
NEXT CHANGE 9th & 10th NOV.

THE

INVISIBLE MAN

EXHIBITION

OF CAMERA STUDIES,

LOCAL VIEWS,

CHRISTMAS CARDS & CALENDARS

by

EUGENE von KOBZA-NAGY

on

Wednesday, Thursday and

Friday, NOVEMBER 7, 8 & 9.

at

THE JACOBAN ROOM,
HONG KONG HOTEL

KOBZA ART STUDIOS LTD.

Now On Sale

CHINA YEAR BOOK 1934

The China Year Book should be immediately accessible to the staff of every office in China. Its 530 pages cover the whole field of political, financial and commercial activities in easy reference form, and makes its absence a definite handicap as much to the small trader as to the diplomat. Very little of the contents of this edition has appeared in previous issues. In the current issue, among other important documents, will be found:—

The Rajchman Report
Draft Permanent Constitution
Banking Laws
Manchurian Railway
Sino-Japanese Issues

Price \$20
Postage
China 50 cts.
Hongkong 50 cts.
Abroad \$2.00

and special articles on currency, communications, sort of living, trade prospects and statistics, the Chinese Government, public justice, telegraph, telephone and postal information, and a Who's Who of nearly a thousand prominent Chinese personalities.

The China Year Book is not written by one man, but by a number of the principal foreign and Chinese authorities on the various subjects dealt with. Among them are:

Father E. Gherli: The Climate of China
Mr. E. Kann: Currency and Banking
Father P. M. D'Elia: R. C. Missions
Dr. Ta Chen: Labour Problems
Dr. M. T. Z. Tyan: Greater Shanghai
Mr. Owen Lattimore: Chinese Turkestan and Mongolia
Rev. G. L. Boynton: Protestant Missions
Dr. J. B. Grant: Public Health

The Editor, who is himself a leading authority on Chinese affairs, is the author of several works on China. Editor of "Oriental Affairs" and has lived for over thirty years in the country.

On Sale at

Messrs. Kelly & Walsh, Ltd., Hong Kong.

or from the printers and publishers:

NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS & HERALD, LIMITED

17, The Bund, Shanghai.



General Passenger Agents in the Orient for
Cunard White Star Line

SAN FRANCISCO via Shanghai, Japan Ports and Honolulu.	Tuesday, 13th Nov. at midnight
TAIYO MARU	Wednesday, 5th Dec.
CHICHIBU MARU	Wednesday, 12th Dec.
TATSUTA MARU	Monday, 28th Nov.
SEATTLE & VANCOUVER.	Wednesday, 12th Dec.
HEIAN MARU (starts from Kobe)	Wednesday, 12th Dec.
HIKAWA MARU (starts from Kobe)	Saturday, 10th Nov.
LONDON, MARSEILLES, ANTWERP & ROTTERDAM	Saturday, 24th Nov.
HARUNA MARU	Saturday, 8th Dec.
KATORI MARU	Saturday, 24th Nov.
KASHIMA MARU	Saturday, 24th Nov.
SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila & Ports.	Saturday, 24th Nov.
KITANO MARU	Saturday, 22nd Dec.
ATSUTA MARU	Saturday, 22nd Dec.
BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang & Colombo.	Monday, 12th Nov.
GINYO MARU	Monday, 28th Nov.
ITOKIWA MARU	Monday, 28th Nov.
INAGATO MARU	Monday, 28th Nov.
ANYO MARU	Monday, 11th Dec.
SOUTH AMERICA (West Coast) via Japan, Honolulu, Los Angeles, Mexico and Panama.	Friday, 4th Jan.
NEW YORK via Panama.	Wednesday, 14th Nov.
INAKO MARU	Monday, 10th Dec.
LIVERPOOL via Port Said, Beyrouth, Istanbul, Piraeus, Genoa and Valencia.	Monday, 10th Dec.
ITOYOKA MARU	Friday, 16th Nov.
CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang & Rangoon.	Thursday, 8th Nov.
TSUSIMA MARU	Thursday, 15th Nov.
PENANG MARU	Thursday, 29th Nov.
SHANGHAI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.	Wednesday, 7th Nov.
YASUKUNI MARU	Friday, 16th Nov.
ATSUTA MARU	Friday, 23rd Nov.
HAKEONE MARU	Friday, 23rd Nov.

Telephone 30291

O. S. K.

SAILINGS FROM HONG KONG SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

KEELUNG, Via SWATOW	Yakumo Maru	Thurs., 8th Nov.
NEW YORK via Japan, Los Angeles and Panama. Call Direct at Cebu, Puerto Colombia, Boston Philadelphia and Baltimore	Kinai Maru	Fri., 9th Nov.
RIO-DE-JANEIRO, SANTOS MONTEVIDEO & BUENOS AIRES via Singapore, Colombo, Durban, Port Elizabeth and Cape Town	Rio De Janeiro Maru	Sat., 24th Nov.
MOMBASA, ZANZIBAR, DARES-SALAAM, BEIRA, LOURENCO MARQUES, DURBAN, PORT ELIZABETH, CAPE TOWN, & SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS via Singapore & Colombo	Africa Maru	Wed., 5th Dec.
MELBOURNE, ERISBANE, SYDNEY, WELLINGTON & AUCKLAND direct	Melbourne Maru	Wed., 7th Nov.
BOMBAY & KARACHI via Singapore, Penang and Colombo	Pacific Maru	Wed., 7th Nov.
CALCUTTA via Singapore, Belawan Deli & Rangoon	Borneo Maru	Tues., 20th Nov.
JAPAN PORTS	Hamburg Maru	Thurs., 8th Nov.
JAPAN via Takao & Keelung	Panama Maru	Sun., 11th Nov.
KEELUNG via Swatow and Amoy	Hozan Maru	Sun., 11th Nov.
TAKAO via SWATOW and AMOY	Canton Maru	Sun., 18th Nov.
	Deli Maru	Thurs., 15th Nov.

No sailing
Juyo Maru Direct call at Bhavnagar, and Bideunder.
Pacific Maru Direct call at Daman, Port Dio, Mundra and Mondvi.
† Omnia Ports Marked.
For Further Particulars Please apply to:—
OSAKA SHOSHEN KAISHA,
Telephone 28061.

SHIP & ENGINE BUILDERS.
SHIP & ENGINE REPAIRERS.
MECHANICAL AND ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS.
BOILER MAKERS.
IRON FOUNDERS.
(Licensed to Manufacture Lenz Perlit Iron.)
BRASS FOUNDERS.
FORGE MASTERS.
OXY-ACETYLENE AND
ELECTRIC WELDERS.

THE TAIKOO DOCKYARD & ENGINEERING COMPANY
SALVAGE TUG "TAIKOO"
Wireless Call
V.P.C.N. 800 Meters.

— DRY DOCK —
Length 787 Feet.
Length on Blocks 750 feet.
Breadth at entrance
93 ft. 4 ins.
Depth on Centre of
Sill (H.W.O.B.T.) 34 ft. 6 ins.
— THREE SLIPWAYS —
Capable of Handling Ships Up
to 4,000 Tons Displacement.

— CRANES —
100 TON Electric Crane at Sea Wall.
Lifting reach 70 feet.
25 TON High lower gantry Travelling Crane.
Lifting radius 77 ft. 4 ins. service
the Dry Dock and Sea Wall berths.

Tel. Address: "TAIKOODOCK" HONG KONG.
Telephone No. 30211.
Call Flag: "Numeral One" over "Penang" and "HONG KONG CHINA & JAPAN."

The Peacock and the Throne

(Continued from Page 8)

ceremony, as the custom was. In the outer courtyard of the palace the great scales of beaten gold were set up; and in one of them, with his court around him and the Lord of the Treasury supervising, the Emperor took his seat; and in the other men heaped by turns gold and silver and jewels and precious brocades, gold and silver fruits, butter and honey and rice and corn, until again and again the two swung level. Then the food was given to the poor, and the gold and silver fruit to the courtiers, and there was merriment and high rejoicing. Hari Lal stood silent among the crowd. Beneath the rich clothes that Mullah Kazim had procured for him the knife rested hard and heavy against his flesh. Beside him the fierce eyes of the Mullah himself, with a wild glint in their depths, blazed disapproval at the kingly figure in the glittering scales. "Pomp, vanity, and extravagance; feet that stray from the paths that the Prophet laid down into the ways of the infidels," the old man muttered in his beard. "Is such as he fit to rule over the people of Islam? Are these childish things matter for an Emperor to stoop to? Better that he should die, and his sons, who are good Mohammedans, reign in his stead."

The dark fire of fanaticism near to madness smouldered in his eyes. Hari Lal said nothing; his young face was grim and impassive. Mentally he measured the distance between himself and the Emperor. Too great for a flung knife to cover. If he ran forward he risked being caught and frustrated. Beat wait until the ceremony of the weighing was over and the assembly moved to the inner court for the enthronement.

Shouting and cheering rent the air. The servants tossed the glittering largesse into the air and men scrambled for it laughing. "Was there no chance?" the Mullah breathed, barely forming the words; and Hari Lal shook his head.

"Too far," he said. "Then it must be in the inner court. Let us make our way there."

They ascended the steps, two inconsiderable units in the vast colourful throng. Hari Lal glanced at the Mullah again. Behind the dark fire in the old man's eyes were thoughts darker still. Hari Lal could not read them; he almost pitied the fanatic whom he believed to be playing into his hands. He did not reflect that a madman's brain may hold cunning as well as craziness, nor guess that Kazim, jealous for Islam, saw in the projected assassination not only the just punishment of the forsaker of orthodox paths, but the means to bring the Hindus to their own destruction. Whether they rose or not—and if they did they would stand little chance against the Mogul hordes aflame with vengeance—they would be blamed for the murder, since a Hindu's hand had done the deed. That flung knife meant, in the long run, their ultimate annihilation.

The great inner court lay open to the burning sky save where a huge silken canopy shaded the throne and its immediate surroundings. It was filling up fast, but not so fast that Hari Lal could not gauge the right distance from the throne and

unobtrusively station himself there. The throne was draped over with rich brocades, giving no hint of its shape or appearance. Men looked at it, talking among themselves. Hari Lal was only concerned with the exact spot where the Emperor would sit, and the chances of the knife reaching his heart.

Outside there sounded the shuffle and stir of waiting feet; a horse stamped, an elephant trumpeted. The slaves were waiting the word to bear in the gifts to the Emperor; gifts from the *Ummas* (nobles); from his allies and friends; from his *zanana*; from the tributary rulers. After that the pick of the royal stables would be led past in proud display, the royal elephants, gorgeously caparisoned, would salute before the throne, thrice touching the ground with their trunks, and raising them above their heads; and there would be music and pageantry and great rejoicings.

The court was full now, a glow of living, moving colour. The Rajput princes stood together in a group, fierce and splendid, with brooding, inscrutable faces. There was a sudden flourish of *nafari* and *naggarah* (reed flutes and drums) and the crowd made way, and the Emperor passed through in state, richly attended, to the shrouded throne. Two soldiers stood on either hand, awaiting the word to snatch away the coverings.

The Emperor halted midway up the steps that led to it, and faced his people.

Hari Lal's hand sought the knife. He thought, curbing his impatience, "While he stands, he may move, and the knife miss. When he sits he is a sure mark. Wait..."

Shah Jehan spoke.

He said, his grave gaze roving the expectant throng, "To-day, by the grace of Allah and the prayers and good wishes of Our people, We are entered upon another year of

BRIDGE NOTES

(Continued from Page 3.)

The bidding: (Figures after bids refer to numbered explanatory paragraphs.)

East South West East
1 H (1) Dbl. (2) INT (3) 3 S (4)
4 C (5) 4 D (6) Pass 4 S (7)
Pass 4NT (8) Pass 5NT (9)
Pass 7NT (10) Pass Pass

1—Of course, the rawest type of a psychic.

2—At this point South does not know whether the bid is honest or the reverse. In any event, his hand requires a Double for a Takeout.

3—A perfectly futile gesture.

4—To double one notrump here would not be a good bid. North can now place from 6 to 6½ honour-tricks in the combined hands and is absolutely sure that a game can be made as the Double of a heart implied spade strength and a Slam may be in the offing. It is better to make a Jump Response in spades than to tarry by the wayside with a Double of one notrump.

5—East makes another effort to protect his psychic Opening.

6—South can afford to bid the diamonds. While he has magnificent spade support, he will have another chance in the bidding.

7—North at this point perhaps should bid five diamonds but decides to temporise for a moment.

8—The conventional Slam call, showing three Aces in this instance.

9—Also the correct response. Inasmuch as North has the Kings of both suits bid by the partnership he knows that South holds the remaining Aces.

10—In Rubber Bridge seven spades would be an equally good response, but in Duplicate, scored on the match point basis, seven notrump is to be preferred.

With his partner's bidding and his own holding, South can quite confidently count five spade tricks, two heart tricks, three diamond tricks and two club tricks. There is obviously a sound play for seven based on nothing worse than a diamond break or some added value in the North hand.

Seven, of course, was made laid down. While West had a potential stopper in the diamond suit, the possession of the club Queen by North made it entirely unnecessary to even consider the question of a break in that suit.

TIDAL WAVE HITS PROMENADE

Destruction During Carnival

HOLIDAYMAKERS MAROONED

Marooned excursionists were carried through flooded streets by men in bathing costumes to Morecambe railway station one evening last month after the heaviest storm the town has experienced for seven years.

An extensive area in the north of England was swept by the gale, and at Hoylake (Cheshire) and Bridlington much damage was done to yachts and fishing boats.

During the last night of Morecambe's Carnival there were thousands of excursionists in the town. Driven by a high wind the tide flooded the promenade and other portions of the town.

People in basements had to leave hurriedly, as the water rose with alarming rapidity. Furniture in them was damaged. At one of the largest hotels storm doors were put up, but the force of the water burst them open and flooded the vaults. Customers were got out, but bar-men had narrow escapes, the water being almost up to their necks before they got to safety.

Two girls and a man were marooned in a wooden cafe on the promenade. Hundreds of people saw the sea break over the building and carry away the kiosks next to it.

Carnival Gondola's Fate

Fishing boats were sunk, and fishermen's shelters lifted from their foundations and smashed against the iron railings of the promenade. A brilliantly illuminated gondola was washed ashore and broken to pieces.

Electric lighting in connection with the town's illuminations was blown down, and bus services were suspended for a time. One bus was stranded on the promenade, and abandoned. So great was the danger of its being washed over that a breakdown gang vehicle managed to reach it and tow it to safety.

UNKNOWN SOLDIERS OF CHINA

State Burial Planned At Nanking

A state burial for the soldiers who fell in the fighting in North China is being planned in Nanking.

The officers and men who fell in battles round the Great Wall were buried in northern China. Two of the coffins of men fell in each division will be removed to Nanking where an Unknown Soldiers' Tomb has been built for them.

LOYD TRIESTINO.

(Flotte Riante Lloyd Triestino, Marittima Italiana E. Sittmar)

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

"CONTE ROSSO"

From TRIESTE, VENICE, BRINDISI, PORT SAID, BOMBAY, COLOMBO & SINGAPORE

Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf & Godown Company, Ltd., at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

Optional cargo will not be landed here, unless notice has been given 48 hours prior to vessel's arrival, but carried on from port to port to the final port of call to which the option extends.

No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godown, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 8th November, will be subject to rent. All claims against the vessel must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 18th November, or they will not be recognised.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 9th November, at 10 a.m. by our surveyors Messrs. Goldsard & Douglas.

In the case of dutiable cargo, consignees are requested to inform the Surveyors & Export Office that they have such goods for examination. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bill of Lading will be countersigned by

LOYD TRIESTINO
Queen's Building
Hong Kong, 8th November, 1934.

"EMPRESS OF JAPAN"

one of the BIG FOUR

Sails

NOON

Friday, 16th November for

Shanghai — Kobe — Yokohama
Honolulu,
Victoria and Vancouver.

Special C.P.R. Reduced Fares To
Europe and Return also Around the World.

Steamers	Hong Kong	Shanghai	Nagasaki	Kobe	Yokohama	Honolulu	Vancouver
Emp. of Japan	Nov. 16	Nov. 18	Nov. 21	Nov. 23	Nov. 25	Nov. 29	Dec. 4
Emp. of Asia	Nov. 30	Dec. 2	Dec. 4	Dec. 6	Dec. 8	Dec. 12	Dec. 17
Emp. of Canada	Dec. 14	Dec. 16	Dec. 19	Dec. 21	Dec. 23	Dec. 28	Jan. 2

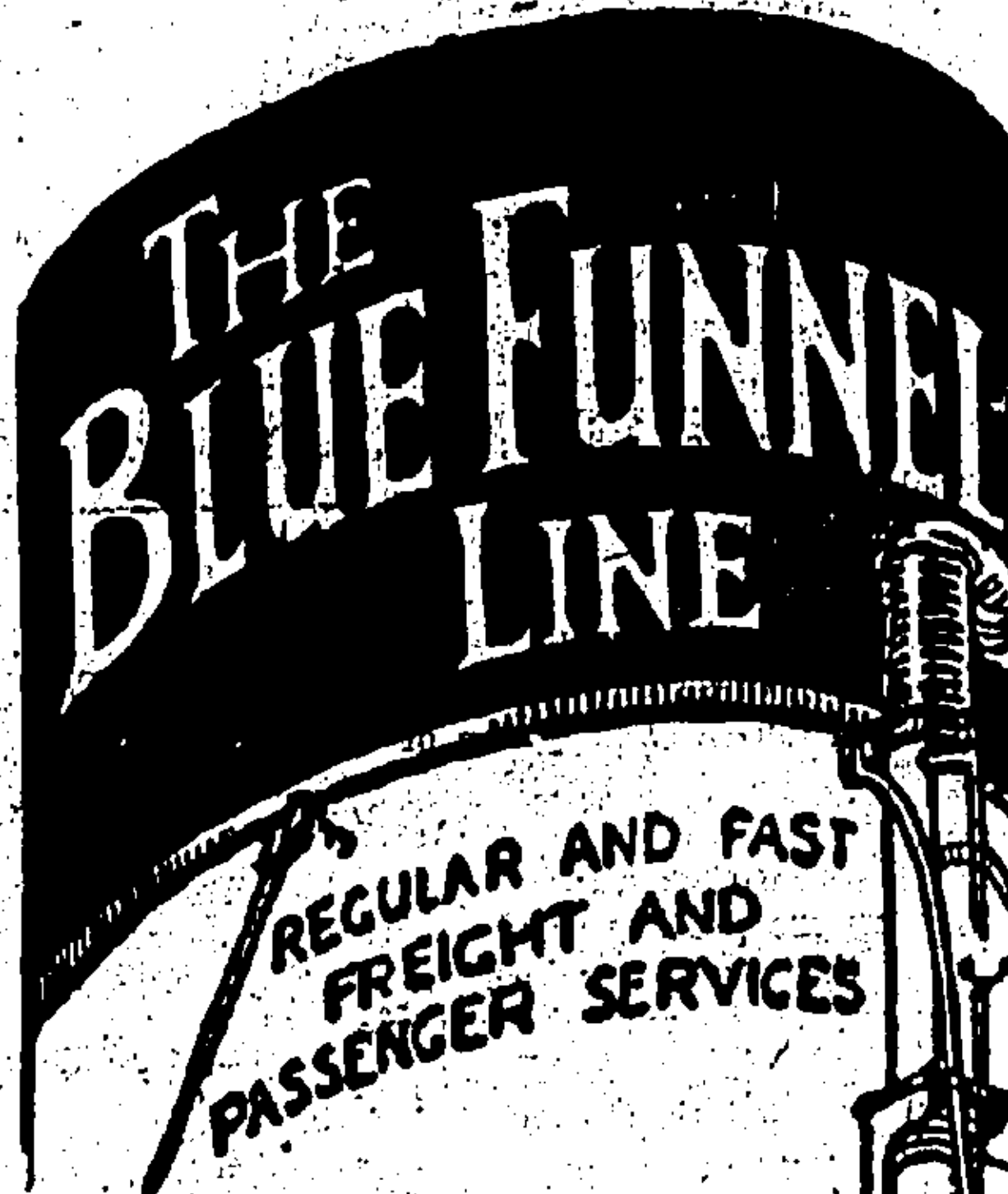
TO MANILA

EMPRESS OF JAPAN Nov. 9.

For further information please apply to:—

CANADIAN PACIFIC

Telephone: Passenger 20752 GACANPAC: Passenger Dept.
Freight 20042-NAUTILUS: Freight Dept.
Canton Agents: JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., LTD.



LONDON SERVICE.

AGAMEMNON Sails 7th Nov. for Marseilles, London, Rotterdam, Hamburg and Glasgow.

SARPEDON 21 Nov. for Marseilles, London, Rotterdam and Glasgow.

LIVERPOOL SERVICE.

EUMAEUS Sails 1st Dec. for Tripoli, Havre, and Liverpool.

NEW YORK SERVICE.

"GLAUCUS" Sails 8th Nov. for Boston, New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore via Manila, Straits, Malabar Coast and Suez.

PACIFIC SERVICE.

(via KOBE & YOKOHAMA).
"TALITHYBUS" Sails 15th Nov. for Victoria, Vancouver and Seattle.

INWARD SERVICE.

"TALITHYBUS" Due 8th Nov. from Pacific via Japan and Shanghai.

"PATROCLUS" Due 11th Nov. from U.K. via Straits.

Specially reduced fares are quoted for cargo steamers with limited passenger accommodation.

For freight, passage rates and information apply to—
Butterfield & Swire.

Tel. 30581. Agents: 1, Connaught Road, C.

TRAVEL A.-O. LINE

AUSTRALIA: Calling at Manila (P. I.), Thursday 14, Cairns, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney and Melbourne.

BRITISH STEAMERS: CHANGTE - TAIPING (Australia).

FASTEST AND MOST UP-TO-DATE STEAMERS IN THE SERVICE.

OPEN AIR SWIMMING POOL.

ELECTRIC LAUNDRY, BARBER SHOP, SURGEON and STEWARDESSES CARRIED.

Enjoy Your Short Leave in Australia and New Zealand, Hong Kong, Sydney—19 Days.

FIRST CLASS FARE TO SYDNEY, 276 RETURN LONDON (via Australia) from \$127.15.0 (Australian Newspapers on file).

STEAMERS: Due Hong Kong: Leaves Hong Kong: Leaves Manila: Due Sydney:
TAIPING 11 Nov. 18 Nov. 21 Dec. 8 Dec.
CHANGTE 11 Dec. 18 Dec. 21 Dec. 8 Jan.
TAIPING 4 Jan. 11 Jan. 15 Jan. 27 Jan.
CHANGTE 8 Feb. 15 Feb. 18 Feb. 6 Mar.

AUSTRALIAN-ORIENTAL LINE LIMITED.
For Freight or Passage apply to: BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.
Agents: Hong Kong, China & Japan.

P. & O. British India Apcar and Eastern & Australian Lines

(COMPANIES incorporated in ENGLAND).
MAIL AND PASSENGER STEAMERS.

TAKING CARGO FOR
STRAITS, JAVA, BURMA, CEYLON, INDIA, PERSIAN GULF,
WEST INDIES, MAURITIUS, EAST AND SOUTH AFRICA,
AUSTRALASIA, INCLUDING NEW ZEALAND AND
QUEENSLAND PORTS, AND RED SEA, EGYPT,
CONSTANTINOPLE, GREECE, LEVANTINE
PORTS, EUROPE, &c.
PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL FORTNIGHTLY
DIRECT ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.
(Under Contract with H.M. Government.)

S.S.	Tons	From Hong Kong About	Destination.
1934.			
†BHUTAN	6,000	10th Nov.	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
JEYPORE	5,300	18th Nov.	Spore, Penang, Colomb, Bombay, Marseilles & London.
CHITRAL	15,000	17th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
†BEHAR	6,100	24th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
CARTHAGE	15,000	1st Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
†SOUDAN	7,000	8th Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
RANPURA	17,000	15th Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
CORFU	15,000	20th Dec.	DO
†BURDWAN	6,000	5th Jan.	Spore, Penang, Hamburg, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
RANCHI	17,000	12th Jan.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
NALDERA	16,000	28th Jan.	DO
†SOMALI	7,000	2nd Feb.	Bombay, Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
RAJPUTANA	17,000	9th Feb.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
RAJPUTANA	17,000	23rd Feb.	DO
†BANGALORE	6,000	2nd Mar.	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
CHITRAL	15,000	9th Mar.	Marseilles & London.
CARTHAGE	15,000	23rd Mar.	DO

* Cargo only. † Calls Casablanca.
Frequent connection from Port Said for Passengers and Cargo to Constantinople, Piræus, Smyrna and other Levant Ports by steamers of the Khedivial Mail Steamship Co.

BRITISH INDIA-APCAR SAILINGS.

S.S.	Tons	From Hong Kong About	Destination.
1934.			
†TALMA	10,000	10th Nov.	Singapore, Port Swettenham, Penang and Calcutta.
SIRDHANA	8,000	24th Nov.	Spore, Penang and Calcutta.
TAKADA	7,000	8th Dec.	DO
TILAWA	10,000	22nd Dec.	DO

* Calls Rangoon. † Call Port Swettenham.
R.I. Apcar Line steamers have excellent accommodation for 1st and 2nd class passengers.

EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN SAILINGS (South).

S.S.	Tons	From Hong Kong About	Destination.
1934.			
TANDA	7,000	30th Nov.	Manila, Rabaul, Rishane, Sydney & Melbourne, and Hobart.
NANKIN	7,000	28th Dec.	DO
NELLORE	7,000	1st Feb.	DO

Regular monthly sailings from Hong Kong to Shanghai and Japan
and Hong Kong to Australia.
Hong Kong to Sydney — 10 days.

AUSTRALIA & NEW ZEALAND for a cheap holiday.
(Surfing, Fishing, Shooting, and Climates to suit all. Year English
money is worth 25 per cent. more.)

No Additional Charge for Deck Cabins. Sun Deck Swimming Pool.
Orchestra carried—Laundry—Surgeon—Stewardess.
E & A Cuisine and Service unsurpassed.
Frequent connections from Australia with the following:—
The Union S.S. Company's steamers to the United Kingdom via New
Zealand, Vancouver, San Francisco, etc.
The P. & O. Royal Mail Steamers to London and
The P. & O. Branch Service of steamers to London via Suez.
The New Zealand Shipping Company's steamers for Southampton and
London via Panama Canal.

SAILINGS TO SHANGHAI & JAPAN.

S.S.	Tons	From Hong Kong About	Destination.
1934.			
TAKADA	7,000	15th Nov.	Amoy, Shanghai, Kobe, Osaka.
RANPURA	17,000	16th Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe and Yokohama.
†BURDWAN	6,000	25th Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe and Yokohama.
TILAWA	10,000	29th Nov.	Amoy, Shanghai, Kobe, Osaka.
CORFU	14,000	30th Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe and Yokohama.
NANKIN	7,000	2nd Dec.	Shanghai, Kobe, Osaka, Yokohama.
SANDEHA	8,000	18th Dec.	Amoy, Shanghai, Kobe, Osaka.
RANCHI	17,000	14th Dec.	Shanghai, Kobe and Yokohama.
TALMA	10,000	27th Dec.	Amoy, Shanghai, Kobe, Osaka.
†SOMALI	7,000	30th Dec.	Shanghai, Kobe and Yokohama.
NALDERA	16,000	28th Dec.	Shanghai, Kobe and Yokohama.
NELLORE	7,000	3rd Jan.	Shanghai, Kobe, Osaka, Yokohama.
SIRDHANA	8,000	10th Jan.	Amoy, Shanghai, Kobe, Osaka.
RAJPUTANA	17,000	11th Jan.	Shanghai, Kobe and Yokohama.
†BANGALORE	6,000	24th Jan.	DO

* Cargo only.

All dates are approximate and subject to alteration without notice.
All cabins are fitted with Electric Fans or Pumps Louvre System.
Steamers on London and Australian Lines are fitted with Laundries.
Passengers measuring not more than 5 ft. 10 in. will be received at the Com-
pany's Office up to Noon on the day previous to sailing.
For further information, Passages, Freight, Handbooks, etc. apply to—

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & CO.

P. & O. Building, Cornhill Rd. C. Hong Kong. Agents.

FREE CINEMA TICKETS ATTRACTIVE CROSS-WORD PUZZLE CONTEST

AN attractive inducement to cross-word puzzle enthusiasts is being offered by the management of the Alhambra Theatre in connection with the dynamic picture, "Hi, Nellie," which opens at the theatre to-morrow. The film stars Paul Muni.

To the senders of the first five correct solutions opened, two dress circle tickets will be given. Entries should be addressed "Paul Muni Puzzle," c/o Editor, China Mail, reaching our offices not later than 9 a.m. to-morrow morning.

The puzzle, the solution to which will be published in to-morrow's editions, is given below:



- Across
1. First name of male star
 4. Last name of male star
 8. Chums
 10. Condensed substance
 11. Egyptian Sun God
 12. Ornament on peak of spire
 14. Myself
 15. Virginia
 16. Colour of star's hair and eyes
 17. Mother, colloquial
 21. Always
 24. French word for 'state'
 25. Russian River
 27. Last name of same star
 28. National Recovery Act
 29. Hostelry
 30. Sand and melted tava
 31. Star's hobby next to acting
 35. King of Babylon
 37. Claque
 39. Handle of sword
 42. Prevalence
 44. Kind of instrumentalist the star is
- Down
1. State in Brazil
 2. Highest note of Guido's scale
 3. Opposite of down
 6. To take by stealth
 7. Memorandum of
 9. Watering place
 13. Where was the star born?
 12. A Hebrew word for God
 13. Adjective ending 'pertaining to'
 18. What has always been his favourite pursuit?
 19. Russian river
 20. Case for sewing materials
 21. Feminine name
 23. Royal Artillery
 24. Printers' measure
 25. In the year of
 32. United States
 33. Prefix meaning half
 34. Neuter pronoun
 35. Adopted son of Mohammed
 38. Belonging to him
 40. Roman four
 41. Toward
 42. Chinese measure or weight
 43. By

DR. INGE'S SERMON IN BERKSHIRE

Recollections Of Early
Life At Wallingford

"HAPPY COINCIDENCE"

Dr. Inge, who took up his residence at the Manor House, Brightwell, near Wallingford, Berkshire, preached at the harvest thanksgiving services at the parish church, Wallingford.

"My friends, as I hope you will be," he began, "I count it a happy coincidence that my first day in my new home—where I hope if it be God's will to pass a peaceful old age and prepare for the time when I must give an account of my stewardship—should fall on a harvest thanksgiving day, the most popular festival in all country districts."

"I myself was baptised in a country church not in this part of the country, but in Yorkshire, and all through my childhood I went every Sunday to the service at a little church."

"Without in any way under valuing the great privilege which has been mine for 28 years of taking part in the grand and dignified services at a great cathedral like St. Paul's, I must confess that I do look forward to returning in my old age to those associations, which are so much like my earliest recollections, which must always have a peculiar sacredness as they take one back to one's first home and beloved parents."

Cinema Notes

(Continued from Page 3).

"SON OF KONG"—KING'S THEATRE

An entirely different type of story from that of its predecessor, "Son of Kong" picks up where "Kong" left off. Carl Denham (Robert Armstrong), stripped of his fame and fortune after Kong has wrecked New York, hears of buried treasure and sets out for Skull Island. He is followed by the girl (Helen Mack) who loves him. The strange union between mankind and beast is formed after Denham and the girl rescue the son of Kong from death in a pool of quicksand.

The climax offers one of the most spectacular sequences in screen history when the lost island, together with its monsters is destroyed by an earthquake.

The film, from an original idea by Marian C. Cooper, was written by Ruth Rose, and was directed by Ernest B. Schoedsack.

"PAROLE GIRL"—ALHAMBRA THEATRE

Extremely striking prison scenes are portrayed in Columbia's latest release, "Parole Girl," now showing at the Alhambra Theatre.

Mae Clarke portrays "Sylvia," a New York girl who is led by bad company into a situation where she is technically guilty of crime. Ralph Bellamy is the man who could have saved her from imprisonment by his intervention.

Hale Hamilton, Ferdinand Gottschalk, Ernest Wood and Sam Godfrey have important roles.

"Parole Girl" deals with modern department stores, with their work-people and shoppers, and with the women's section of a great prison, where Mae Clarke wins her parole by "staging" a fire which she bravely extinguishes. Once outside the prison walls, it is not long before Mae comes face to face with the many obstacles that beset the path of a "goldbird." Just how she overcomes each obstacle in turn and wins through to a happy climax makes the film entertaining.

"THE KENNEL MURDER CASE"—ORIENTAL THEATRE

S. S. Van Dine's famous murder mystery, "The Kennel Murder Case," featuring William Powell as the famous detective character, Philo Vance, is a sensational drama offering unusual entertainment. Eugene Pallette is seen as Sergeant Heath, having played the role in every Van Dine picture to date. "The Kennel Murder Case" is his fourth appearance as the burly police sergeant with Powell. The balance of the cast includes Mary Astor, Robert Barrat, Jack La Rue and Helen Vinson.

The Peacock and the Throne

(Continued from Page 10.)

Our reign. It is in our mind to make it one which shall inaugurate an era of peace; not only between Our people and outside nations, but also among Our people themselves. We have not been blind to the trend of affairs, especially of late."

Hari Lal, strung to high tension, shifted a little on his feet. He glanced round for Mullah Kazim; but Mullah Kazim had slipped away; it would not do for him to be too near the Emperor's assailant lest suspicion fall on him. Hari Lal was alone. "Wait," he adjured himself. "This must not be bungled through haste. As soon as he has taken his seat—"

Intent only on his purpose, he had been paying no heed to the Emperor's discourse; now, unexpectedly, words pierced the armour of his concentration.

Something about peacocks wrongfully slain—

He listened, suddenly alert. "This lamentable thing was done in ignorance," the serene voice was saying. "We did not then realise how sacred was the peacock to our Hindu subjects and allies. It therefore behoves Us make amends; and in such wise as to give assurance that the matter shall not be forgotten while the throne of the Mogul Empire stands. And so long as that throne stands, so long shall Hindu and Mohammedan have equal rights; that there may be no more cause for dissension among Our people; and in token thereof, behold this sign!"

He raised his hand; and the soldiers snatched away the rich brocade which concealed the throne. A deep murmur went through the assembly. Hari Lal looked and gasped. Splendour, almost unimaginable; gold well-nigh hidden by thickly encrusted jewels; a pearl-fringed canopy, with quadrangular domes supported by golden pillars; and surmounting that canopy a peacock wrought in purest gold, its spread

tail dazzling with lustre of emerald and sapphires, a huge ruby flashing on its breast—crowning the throne of the Mohammedan Empire, the peacock of the Hindus!

Serene, smiling, gravely, the Emperor took his seat on the throne beneath the peacock; and the murmur swelled to a full-throated cheer; and Hari Lal saw the faces of the Rajput princes and knew with a sudden wild leap of the heart that there would be no war now.

He took his hand from the hilt of the knife.

No need for that fell deed. Slowly, wonderingly, feeling as a man must feel who is unexpectedly snatched back from death to life, he turned and slipped away from that proud assembly. None saw or heeded. He sought the little quiet road that led back to his own home. His surging thoughts were suddenly all of Ambika; and there was a rapture of thankfulness in his heart.

WHEN PARLIAMENT BURNED

(Continued from Page 3)

Parliament in Lodgings. St. Margaret's Church had no service on the following Sunday. Its floor was piled up with furniture, papers, and impediments brought from the Parliament Houses.

King William IV. came round the day after the fire to inspect when the ruins were cooling. He offered Buckingham Palace to the Government as temporary accommodation for Parliament. St. James's Palace was also suggested. But it was in a make-shift structure, not unlike a barn, which was speedily run up at Westminster. That the Houses were compelled to transact business till the present Parliament buildings were ready—the first to be occupied being the House of Lords in February, 1847.

President Lincoln

XMAS SAILINGS

TO UNITED STATES AND CANADA

S.S. "PRESIDENT MCKINLEY" sails from Hong Kong
Midnight — Nov. 23
arrives Seattle — Dec. 11

S.S. "PRESIDENT HOOVER" sails from Hong Kong
Noon — Dec. 1
arrives San Francisco — Dec. 19

S.S. "PRESIDENT GRANT" sails from Hong Kong
Midnight — Dec. 7
arrives Seattle — Xmas Day

DOLLAR STEAMSHIP LINE AMERICAN MAIL LINE

PEDDER BUILDING, HONG KONG.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD BREMEN

AUSTRAL-CHINA LINE

REGULAR MONTHLY SERVICE BY FAST
AND MODERN TWIN-SCREW PASSENGER
AND FREIGHT MOTORSHIPS

"MERKUR" and "NEPTUN" (6,000 Tons Gross)

Accommodation for 1 class, III class, steerage and deck passengers. Many 1st class Single Berth cabins and bath-rooms.

Surgeon and stewardess carried. Electric laundry and barber shop on board.

Interesting route via Philippines, Sandakan, and New Guinea.

First sailings from Hongkong: M.S. "NEPTUN" 31st Dec, 1934.

M.S. "MERKUR" 2nd Feb, 1935.

For Freight & Passage Apply To: MEECHERS & CO.

(Far Eastern General Agents) TEL. 24978

BARBER WILHELSEN LINE MONTHLY SERVICE

For New York via San Francisco, Los Angeles & Panama Canal ports:—

Next Sailing
M.V. "TAI PING"
on **NOVEMBER 18th**

Excellent Accommodation
for 12 Passengers

DODWELL & CO., LTD

Queen's Buildings Agents Telephone 28021

POPPY DAY FUND

Acknowledgment Of
New Donations

The following contributions to the Poppy Day Fund are gratefully acknowledged:

Previously Acknowledged \$2,401
Mr. & Mrs. Edwin Taylor 100
Mr. C. Pryce 25
Mr. Ho Kom Tong 25
Mr. M. St. J. Walsh 25
Hon. Dr. A. R. Wellington 25
Mr. J. Scott-Harston 25
Mr. A. V. Kitchin 10
Messrs. J. W. W. Funn, M. A. 5
Mr. E. J. McGinn 5
The Hon. Mr. J. P. Braga 5

\$2,646

Further contributions will be gratefully received by Mr. F. G. Maunders, Secretary to East Haig's Fund, York Buildings, Hong Kong.

Cheques should be made payable to Thomson & Co. and crossed "Poppy Day Fund."

ROTARY CLUB TIFFIN

A Universal Language
Of 850 Words

Speaking at the weekly Rotary Club tiffin yesterday, Mr. A. B. Reynolds, lecturer of the University of Hong Kong, expounded on the possibility of a language consisting of only 850 words and understood by every nation after a few days or weeks of study.

Mr. M. K. Lo presided at the function, the guests including Messrs. J. W. W. Funn, M. A. Cooper, F. H. Looney, R. B. Campbell, E. Pollit, David Au, C. M. Merrick, Jacques Levy, Chester Bennett, and D. L. Strellett.

OH! HOW DIFFERENT!
—that's exactly what you will say when you see a portrait by D'ASIS — it's not just a photo but an artistically finished portrait.
\$12 Per Dozen.
Ask the man who has tried our Developing and Printing.
D'ASIS STUDIO
When better photographs are made D'Asis will make them.
Gloucester Arcade. Tel. 33188.

The China Mail

NINETIETH YEAR OF PUBLICATION

HONG KONG, WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 1934.

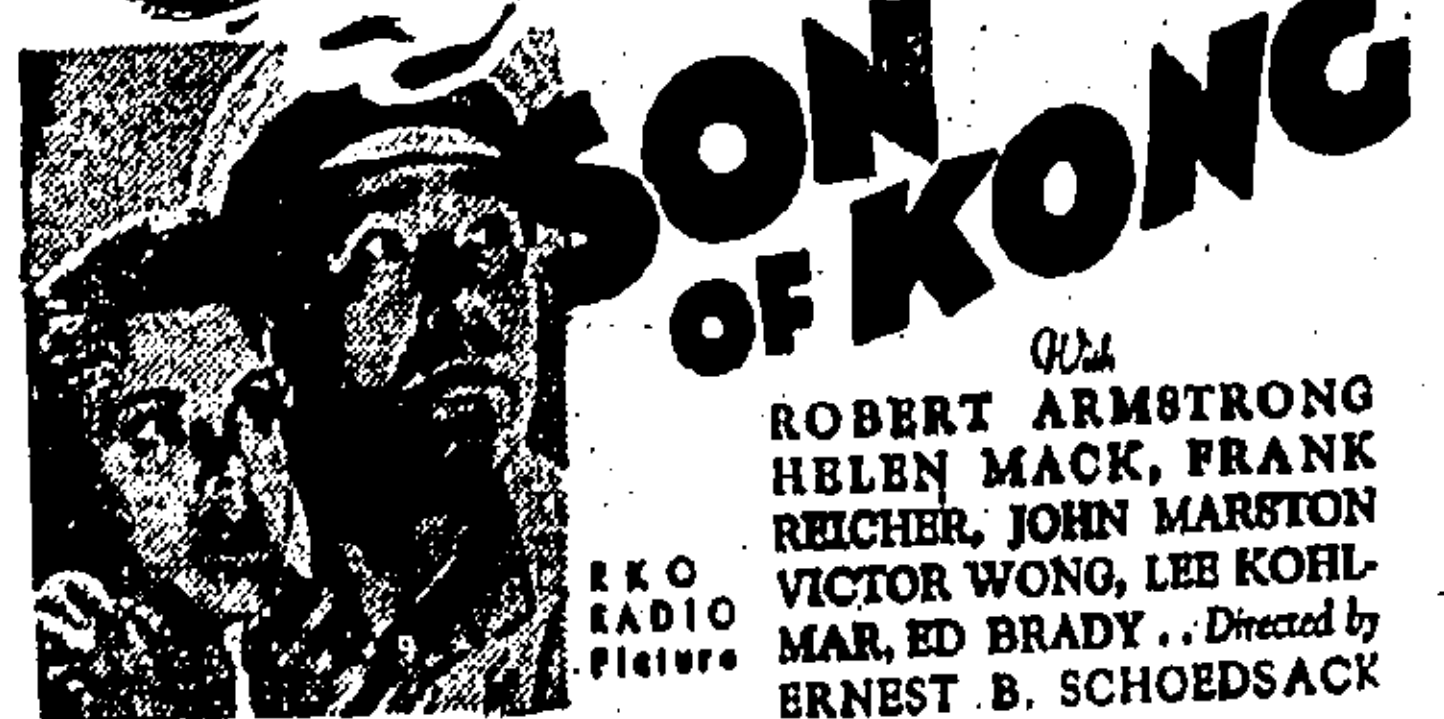
BEST RADIO REPAIR SERVICE
MOST (Modern Equipment, Expert Mechanics, Reasonable Prices)
SATISFACTION GUARANTEED
The Leading Radio Sales and Repair Service in Hong Kong
UNIVERSAL RADIO CO.
28, Des Voeux Road, C.—Phone: 28581
Canton Branch: 198 Wai Oi Chung Lo
DISTRIBUTORS FOR R.C.A. VICTOR

KING'S
TO-DAY ONLY at 2.30, 5.10, 7.15 and 9.30 p.m.



Towering high above the ship, the monster leashed his tail three miles astern!

Back to the island of King Kong... to search for buried gold! You'll see amazing things in

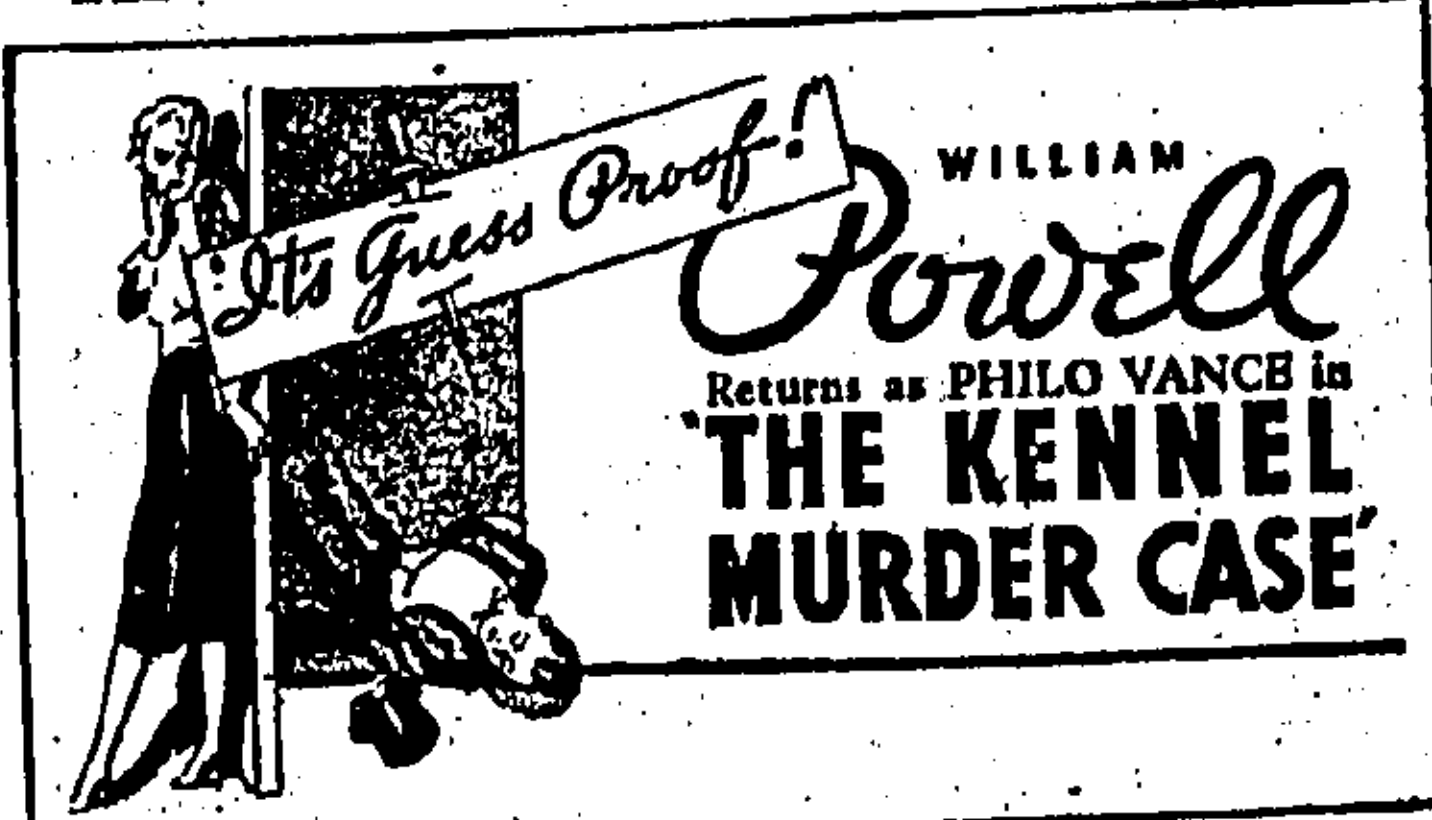


SON OF KONG
ROBERT ARMSTRONG, HELEN MACK, FRANK REICHER, JOHN MARSTON, VICTOR WONG, LEE KOHLMAR, ED BRADY... Directed by ERNEST B. SCHOEDSACK

FROM "FINISHING SCHOOL" TO-MORROW with FRANCES DEE-BRUCE CABOT BILLIE BURKE-GINGER ROGERS

ORIENTAL
2 DAYS ONLY TO-DAY & TO-MORROW.

THE BEST OF ALL DETECTIVE STORIES!
Philo Vance Returns To Match His Wits With The Master Criminal Of All Detective Fiction!
See The Killer Who Brought His Victim Back To Life So He Could Murder Him Again!
THRILLS YOU TO THE DEPTHS!



MASTER MAN-HUNTER OF THE AGES!
See If You Can Beat Philo Vance, Fiction's Master Sleuth, To The Correct Solution!

MAJESTIC
TO-DAY ONLY AT 2.30, 5.20, 7.20 & 9.20 P.M.



"SHADOWS OF SING SING"
WITH MARY BRIAN, BRUCE CABOT

INVOLVED CLAIM HEARING

Legal Point Submitted For Decision

PARTNERSHIP QUESTION

An intricate point came up for hearing before the Chief Justice, the Hon. Mr. A. D. A. MacGregor, this morning at the Supreme Court, when Mr. Eldon Potter, K.C., and Mr. F. C. Jenkin, K.C., instructed by Mr. F. H. Loseby, appeared for the Yick On Bank, plaintiffs, who claim against the Shu Tai Hong firm, Chin Keng-man and Ng Tze-fung, as the makers of two Chinese promissory notes of \$10,000 each, dated July 21, 1933, and August 26, 1933, respectively, payable on demand with interest at the rate of 37 per mille per Chinese month.

The plaintiffs also claim against a fourth defendant Yu Cheuk-sang, as a partner of the defendant firm. They also claim interest on \$20,000 from the date of the writ to payment on judgment.

Mr. Duncan McNeill and Mr. H. C. Macnamara are appearing for the defendants.

The question which is being submitted for the opinion of the Court is whether the plaintiffs are debarred in law from proceeding further against the fourth defendant.

The hearing is proceeding.

DUTIABLE LIQUOR

Fines totalling \$60, in default six weeks' imprisonment, were imposed by Mr. E. I. Wynne Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, on Ng Chuen, who appeared on four charges, for having in his possession a bottle of dutiable liquor, selling intoxicating liquor without a license, selling adulterated liquor, and having in his possession a bottle bearing a false brandy label.

AUSTRALIA LOAN REFUNDING

Exchequer Sanctions Three Major Issues

OPTION FOR BORROWER

London, To-day. The Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, has agreed to an immediate Commonwealth of Australia issue for the purpose of refunding, in addition to certain maturities due in December, January, April and May next, the following loans, redeemable at the option of the borrower during next year.

Western Australia 5 per cent., 1935/45.
South Australia 4 per cent., 1917/80.

Tasmania 4 per cent., 1920/40. He wishes it to be understood that this does not in any way imply the withdrawal of his request regarding optional conversion of trustee securities—British Wireless Service.

CANTON FEARS REDUCTION OF HER POLITICAL POWER

(Continued from Page 1)

The two foregoing bodies oppose the Customs scheme for fear that Canton's trade will be damaged.

There is a feeling here that the Central Authorities are trying to reduce the political power of the South-west in every possible way. Reports from the north stated that Marshal Chiang Kai-shek, Chairman of the Military Affairs Commission, is visiting provinces in the north-west in order to consolidate his position.

With the support of the provinces along the Yangtze and the Yellow River Valley, Marshal Chiang would be in a position to unify the country. This support is assuming tangible form, following the elimination of Communists in Fukien and the impending collapse of the Red regime in Kiangsi.

SERIOUS FIRE AT WEST POINT

Tea Shop Completely Gutted

A fierce blaze last night broke out at No. 2, Sai Wo Lane, West Point, causing over \$4,000 damage. The amount is said to be covered by insurance.

Starting in a tea store owned by Wong Cheung, where a number of rattan mats ignited on the ground floor, the flames quickly mounted to the first floor, and had obtained a firm hold before the arrival of the fire brigade.

The shop on the ground floor was completely gutted, the loss being estimated at over \$8,000. The first floor was also burnt out. No casualties, however, were reported.

OVERHAULING OF CINEMA REELS

Fire Brigade Protest

Summoned for permitting 891 cinematograph reels to be stored in a place limited to 560 reels, Leung Ki-hoo, of the Entertainment Building, Queen's Road Central, was this morning fined \$50 by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy.

Mr. W. K. Robinson pleaded guilty on behalf of the defendant, while Mr. J. C. Fitzhenry, of the Fire Brigade, prosecuted.

RUBBER TRADE BOOMING IN UNITED STATES

New York, to-day.—Messrs. Dun and Bradstreet, in their weekly market survey, predict that the wholesale and retail rubber trade in the United States is from 20 to 25 per cent. greater than at this time last year.—United Press per S. E. Levy and Company.

TO-DAY TO SATURDAY



Beautiful girls — tuneful musical numbers — elaborate settings — sprightly humour — scintillating entertainment with



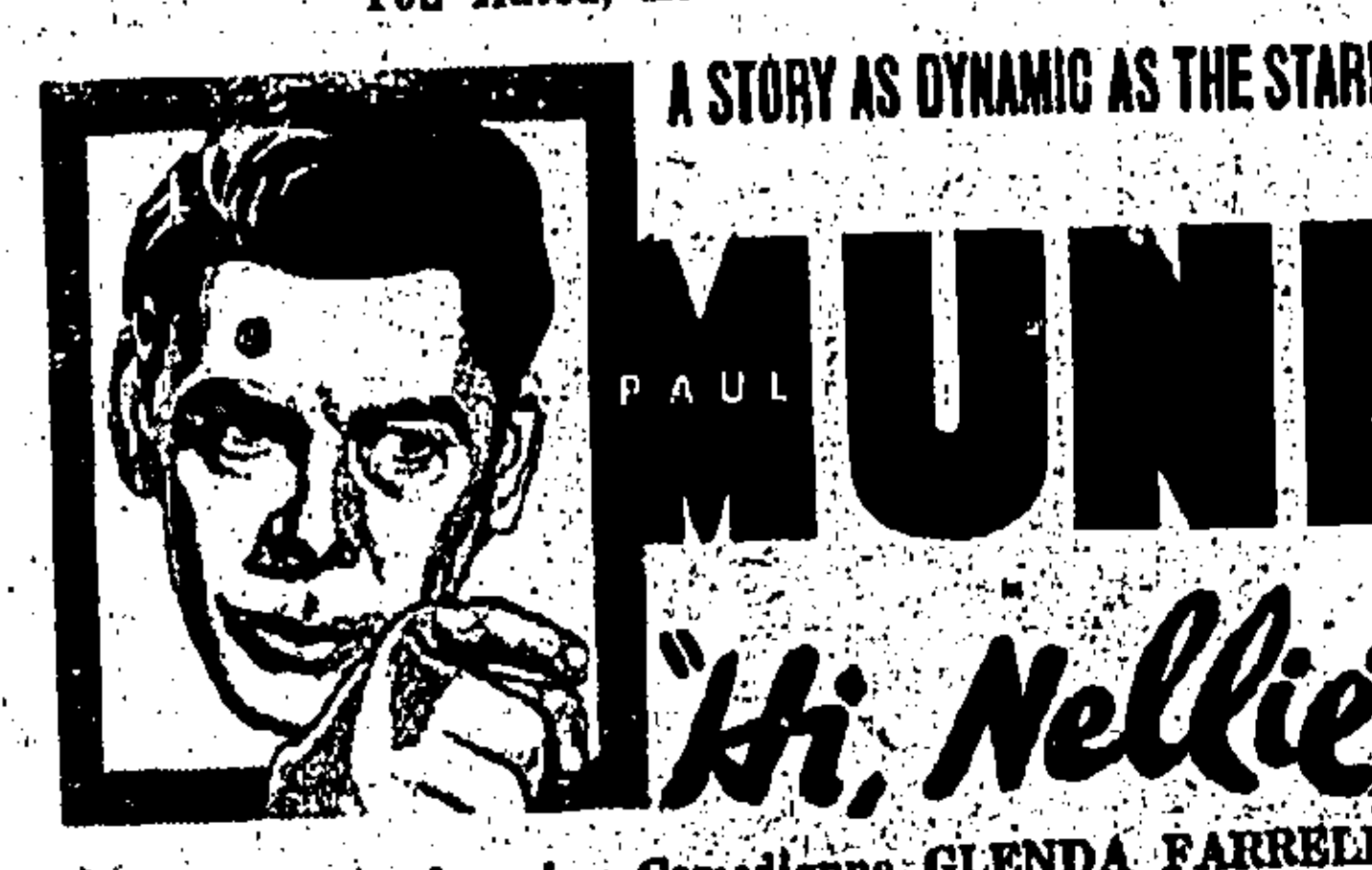
ASPIRIN
This gnawing pain in the head.
Headache often diminishes the joys of life. Everybody should therefore have always handy some Aspirin tablets. They rapidly relieve headache, neuralgia, rheumatism, etc. Aspirin tablets can be taken without hesitation, because they bear the BAYER cross, the sign of quality.



Nathan Road Kowloon Phone No. 56858
TO-DAY ONLY AT 2.30, 5.20, 7.20 & 9.20 P.M.



HERS IS THE STORY OF 100,000 girls!
PAROLE GIRL
A COLUMBIA PICTURE



TO-MORROW
For the First Time This Great Star will Laugh as Heartily as You Hated, Loved & Wept!
MUNI
"Hi, Nellie"
with the charming Comedienne GLENDA FARRELL

TO-DAY and TO-MORROW **STAR** At 2.30, 5.20, 7.20 & 9.20.

First Showings in Kowloon of Better & Bigger Pictures at Reduced Popular Prices: 70 cts., 40 cts., & 20 cts.



PAUL LUKAS and CONSTANCE CUMMINGS
GLAMOUR
A UNIVERSAL PICTURE

FOR RATES AND INFORMATION—AND FOR SATISFACTION—TELEPHONE 27761
OUR TRUCKS ARE AT YOUR SERVICE
CHINA PROVIDENT LOAN & MORTGAGE COMPANY, LIMITED

HONGKONG BENEVOLENT SOCIETY

DONATIONS URGENTLY REQUIRED FOR THIS DESERVING CAUSE.

Send Your Contribution to Mrs. Ralston, 151, The Peak, Tel. 29287.

Printed and published for the Proprietors, The Newspaper Enterprise Ltd. by DAVID CHRISTIAN WILSON, Manager, at 24 Wyndham St., Hong Kong.